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## Committee For 1942 Under AAA Chosen

Discussions On Program Of Next Year Are Held

The community elections under the Agricultural Adjustment Act program were held in each township in the county Thursday night, September 18, at 8 p.m. At this time the delegate for the county convention, chairman, vice-chairman and the third member were elected. The 1942 program was discussed in detail.

Listed below are the townships showing the delegate to the county convention. First named is the delegates, second community chairman, third vice-chairman and third member of each township were named:

Blackwater—Elbert F. Rissler, Elbert F. Rissler, J. B. Adams, Arthur Meyer.

Bowling Green — McKinley Thomas, McKinley Thomas, Floyd McFarland, Melvin May.

Cedar-Sedalia—J. A. DeJarnette, R. W. Dow, J. A. DeJarnette, B. H. Payne.

Dresden—C. E. Ferguson, Geo. Fichter, O. S. Siron.

Elk Fork—Olin Ragor, Olin Ragor, J. P. Ruffin.

Flat Creek—Leo Coffey, Leo Coffey, P. E. Henry, Lester Mosby, Green Ridge—Wm. G. Ruffin, W. A. Christian, Chas. Damp, Wm. G. Ruffin.

Heaths Creek—Thos. J. Raines, Clay Leftwich, Carl Raines, Spencer Jenkins.

Houston—John W. Rissler, John W. Rissler, Norman D. Gibson.

Hughesville—Wm. Brandhorst, Wm. Brandhorst, Walter L. Smith.

Lake Creek—Lenos Weller, R. D. Montgomery, Roderic Demand, Harold Eichholz.

La Monte—Geo. D. Swope, Geo. D. Swope, Glenn Wellman.

Longwood—B. C. Claycomb, Jas. A. Harvey, C. V. Jones.

Prairie—J. L. Perrin, J. L. Perrin, Robert W. Rissler.

Smithton—Wm. J. Lamm, Wm. J. Lamm, Ernest Linderman.

Washington—W. E. Ragor, C. D. Hunt, L. W. Ragor.

**Attend Convention**

The above named delegates attended the county convention held at the county office Friday morning, September 18, at which time they elected the county committee for 1942. B. C. Claycomb was elected as chairman, C. E. Ferguson as vice-chairman, and J. A. DeJarnette as third member. George D. Swope was elected as first alternate to the county committee and Leo Coffey as second alternate.

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## Roosevelt In Tax Bill Study

HYDE PARK, N. Y., Sept. 19.—(P)—President Roosevelt said at his press conference today that he did not know exactly when he would sign the nation's biggest tax bill, a \$3,553,400,000 measure which he brought with him from Washington.

The President, who arrived this morning for a short stay at his ancestral home, said he thought 48 hours was not too long to study the bill and said that holding it up a day or so would not cost the government anything.

Mr. Roosevelt began the conference by asserting that he had no news today, and for the first time in months his press conference failed to produce a single important story.

New men brought up a wide range of subjects, but Mr. Roosevelt was not inclined to talk about them. Among the things they mentioned were:

A story in the London Daily Express that an American naval ship had sunk an axis war craft. Discounting it, the President said he did not care to comment one way or another.

Printed discussions whether there would be congressional elections in 1942.

Recent conversations between Japanese and American officials.

Presidential conferences with Secretary Hull.

A shipping strike in New York which resulted in the Maritime Commission's taking over three freighters.

## Backward Glimpse By Associated Press

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Bad weather stalemates infantry on Somme front but heavy battles rage on eastern front in Russia, Galicia, Rumania and Transylvania.

To Confer Further On Shoe Plant Here

Officials of the Tober Saifer Shoe company, of St. Louis, will come to Sedalia next Tuesday to confer with members of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce board of directors regarding the establishment of a branch plant of the company here.

Approval was given by the board members Thursday to a report by Ellsworth Green, Jr., secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, who contacted officials of the shoe company and Missouri Pacific railroad officials in St. Louis on Tuesday.

The factory would employ between 100 and 200 persons.

## Program For Defense Aid Is Given At Shops

**W. R. Courtney And Pinkney Miller Give Addresses**

Sedalia business men and Missouri Pacific shop employees met at noon today at the company shops in one of their regular Business Men's Day meetings. These meetings are being held the third Friday of each month and are primarily for the purpose of giving the business men of Sedalia a chance to become better acquainted with the employees of the shops.

F. G. Rose, newly elected Chief Booster, presided over the meeting. G. T. Callender, superintendent of the shops, introduced the speakers who were William Courtney, cashier of the Sedalia Bank and Trust Company and Pinkney Miller of the faculty of Smith-Cotton high school.

Mr. Courtney traced American history from the days of the pilgrims down to the present time when the country is confronted with one of its greatest crisis. "We have not yet been asked to bear arms," said Mr. Courtney, "but we have been asked to help in our country's defense by buying Defense Savings Stamps and Defense Bonds." He explained the manner in which Defense Savings Stamps and Defense Bonds can be purchased and how they might be turned in for payment in case the purchaser may have need of his money. Mr. Courtney also mentioned that now is the most appropriate time to buy these stamps and bonds as due to stepped up production as a result of our country's defense program, most of us are earning more than we formerly did, and defense stamps and bonds are the best investment.

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## Rejects A Bid On Extending Army Control

**FDR Would Keep Defense Industry In Civilian Hands**

By LLOYD LEHRBAS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—(P)—President Roosevelt, informed quarters reported today, has rejected proposals that would have placed a greater degree of control over defense industry in military, instead of civilian hands.

Refusing recommendations designed to extend the army's authority, Mr. Roosevelt took action to insure that the civilian nominated governmental agencies administer measures affecting the supply of raw materials, priorities, production and export control.

The President's decision was the major development to date in what was described as a long and spirited behind the scenes battle for control of defense production and regulation of export trade.

Disclosure of the conflict followed the President's executive order September 15 which transferred the export control administration to the economic defense board headed by Vice President Wallace.

By that order the President not only transferred the hitherto separate, army-controlled export control administration to the vice president's board, but reduced it to a subordinate division which will be headed by a civilian, Milo Perkins, former head of the Commodity Credit Corporation.

Brig. Gen. Russell L. Maxwell, who has acted as administrator of export control since the office was organized July 2, 1940, was relieved of that assignment and ordered back to duty in the war department.

More than 100 other army officers—mostly from the reserves—are now on duty with the export control administration but there has been no decision yet as to their future disposition.

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## Dr. J. J. Rhodes Heads Dentists

Dr. J. J. Rhodes, Jefferson City, was chosen president-elect of the Central Missouri Dental Society during a business session of the annual meeting held at the Elks club in Sedalia Thursday. Dr. Rhodes will succeed Dr. J. W. Prada, Fulton, as president in 1942. Prada, who took office yesterday, replaces Dr. B. E. Broadus, Sedalia, as president of the organization.

Fulton was chosen as the city for the 1942 convention, which will be held in September. Board members of the society will be appointed at a later date. About 65 members of the central Missouri organization attended the day-long annual conclave which is usually held in the town in which the president resides.

Illustrated lectures were given throughout the day by well-known doctors, and the evening's banquet address at the Hotel Bothwell, was delivered by Bueno D. Lischer, D. D. S., dean of the dental department of Washington University, St. Louis.

A luncheon was given at the Sedalia Country club at noon for wives of the society members attending the conference.

**Visit of Frank L. Martin Delayed By Illness**

Frank L. Martin, a former news editor of the Sedalia Capital and recently a representative of the Associated Press in China, expected today for a visit with friends in Sedalia will not be able to come until sometime next week due to illness. His mother Mrs. Frank Martin Sr., will accompany her son to Sedalia for the visit.

Mayor Julian Bagby, Ellsworth Green secretary of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce and Frank Monroe, left this morning for Kansas City where they are attending the annual meeting of the Mid-Central War Resources board being held there today. More than 250 mayors in Western Missouri and Eastern Kansas were expected for the meeting which opened at 12:15 o'clock this afternoon at the Muehuebach hotel.

Speakers include Mayor Gage, Kenneth A. Spencer, OPM coordinator for the tenth federal reserve district, and Mayor Roger Sermom of Independence. Charles Russell, mayor of Lawrence, Kas., and chairman of the board of directors of the war resources organization, will preside.

Lou E. Holland, president of the board, will make an annual report on the activities of the organization. Officers will be elected.

While in Kansas City they will visit with United States Senator Harry S. Truman, who is spending a few days vacation in Kansas City and discuss possible defense projects to be located in the mid-west. They will also visit with Victor R. Messall, former secretary of Senator Truman, who is also in Kansas City for a few days.

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## New Legion Commander



Lynn U. Stambaugh, who was born in Abilene, Kans., and now practices law in Fargo, N. D., waves to legionnaires following his election at the convention's final session in Milwaukee, as new national commander of the American Legion to succeed Milo J. Warner, right. (NEA Telephoto)

## Agree Senate Favors Repeal

### La Follette Is Critical Of Convoy Of Foreign Ships

By Jack Bell

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—(P)—A leading opposition strategist conceded today that the administration could win senate approval—by the margin of a dozen votes—if it sought outright repeal of the neutrality act in furtherance of its program of aiding Britain.

The surprise strike of electrical workers which began with a four-hour blackout and for two days kept Kansas City on pins and needles ended today.

Members of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (AFL) voted 184 to 2 to return to their jobs at 7 a. m. (CST) and pickets withdrew from the two plants of the Kansas City Power and Light Company.

With both armies throwing all their might into the fray in an attempt to gain the first advantage in the two weeks war games, army authorities indicated the struggle would cease over the weekend. New problems for the weary troops appeared in the making.

**Return at Daylight**

The normal number of workers returned at the first daylight shift but some who had kept power moving throughout the strike remained on duty. The measure was explained as precautionary.

A few policemen were left on guard within each of the company's two major plants.

A battalion of the Missouri home guard, mobilized by Gov. Forrest C. Donnell a few hours after the Tuesday midnight power break but never called to active duty at the plant, was demobilized this morning.

Thompson said an emergency required the purchase of 55 miles of new 112-pound rail and fastenings, to be installed at various points in place of 90-pound rails.

The old rail will be relayed at other points.

The purchase, to be included in the 1941 program, is necessary because of progressively higher speeds and heavier power.

## Missions Off To Soviet Capital

LONDON, Sept. 19.—(P)—The United States and British missions to Moscow were reliably reported tonight to have left for the Soviet capital.

The missions, bound for Russia to join in three-power conferences to coordinate the war effort against Germany, had luncheon with Prime Minister Churchill yesterday.

The group will be headed by C. E. Watkins of Chillicothe, president of the Missouri Press Association.

The party will witness a demolition demonstration, gas mask drill and obstacle course and rifle exhibitionism.

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**Dies In Explosion At Powder Plant**

GRAFTON, Ill., Sept. 19.—(P)—One man was killed today in a neutralizing unit explosion at the plant of the Illinois Power Manufacturing Company near here.

He was identified as Francis Erwin, 30, who was working alone. A fellow workman had left just before the explosion.

Grafton, a town of little more than 1,000 was not damaged by the blast.

No other injuries were reported.

The plant makes dynamite.

**Two Die In Blast Of Nitro Glycerine**

BRADFORD, Pa., Sept. 19.—(P)—

A truck loaded with nitro glycerine exploded on a highway today, killing the truck occupant and J. Clifford Martin, executive secretary of the Bradford District Pennsylvania Grade Crude Oil Association.

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**Sunrise and Sunset**

Sunrise 6:02 a. m., Sunset 6:21 p. m.

**Phases of the Moon**

New moon September 20; first quarter September 27.

## Lear's Second Army In Trap Of The Third

### Army Maneuvers Struggle Pauses For Week End

## German Troops Into Kiev Capital Of The Ukraine

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old struggle, said German losses were 84,354 killed, 292,690 wounded and 18,921 missing. German air force losses for the two-month period were given as 1,542 dead, 3,980 wounded and 1,378 missing.

Russian prisoners were listed at more than 1,800,000 since the beginning of the conflict, with the number of Soviet killed rated considerably higher.

British estimates yesterday said the Russians had lost 3,000,000 men and the Germans 2,000,000.

Authoritative London quarters, acknowledged that the loss of coal and oil fields, steel plants and other war industries in the Ukraine had dealt a sore blow to the Russians, declared nevertheless that the USSR could maintain a large army in the field even if the Germans overran the Donets industrial basin and took Kharkov.

Alternative sources of supply, it was said, would prevent a Russian collapse.

On the northern front, Finnish army observers less than 10 miles from Kronstadt said thick smoke enveloped the island's batteries before they ceased firing.

Adolf Hitler's newspaper, Voelkischer Beobachter said the guns of Kronstadt, emplaced above a 23-foot ship channel between Leningrad's harbor and deep waters of the Gulf of Finland to the west had been blasted out of action by a coordinated attack of German dive bombers and land batteries arrayed along the south shore of Kronstadt bay.

**Nazis Capture Poltava.**

BERLIN, Sept. 19.—(P)—The German high command today announced the capture of Poltava.

Poltava is a railway town 200 miles east and slightly south of Kiev, and only 80 miles from Kharkov, the principal city of the northeastern Ukraine.

**Convoys To Be Of Great Help**

LONDON, Sept. 19.—The material and moral support of the United States in protecting war shipments part of the way on their Atlantic voyage to Britain "cannot be overestimated," First Lord of the Admiralty, A. V. Alexander declared today.

Alexander, addressing the Institute of Mechanical Engineers, made the comment in connection with the disclosure Wednesday by Frank Knox, U. S. Secretary of the Navy, that U. S. naval vessels were convoying merchant vessels in the North Atlantic.

"The United States is undertaking duties which will greatly help us," Alexander added.

## Would Take A Reputation Risk

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 19.—Promoters of the newly-formed Mutual Savings Life Insurance Company, organized to bid for the insolvent Central States Life Insurance Company, risk reputation and standing in the insurance world if mutualization of the two concerns is affected, testimony disclosed yesterday in circuit court.

Acceptance of a bid by Mutual Savings, in preference to the State National Life Insurance Company, the second bidder, has been recommended by Ray B. Lucas, retiring state superintendent of insurance, to Judge William B. Flynn, conducting the hearing.

Carroll E. Nelson, consulting actuary who aided in preparation of Mutual Savings' bid, admitted under cross-questioning that organizers of the company do not face financial risk.

"Does not this plan amount to an attempt to resuscitate the company (Central States) by its own bootstraps?" questioned Alonso Alexander, chief counsel for State National.

"No," Nelson replied. "They are taking some risk. They must operate this business to the satisfaction of the insurance superintendent and the policy holders, who will be owners of the company. They are risking their reputation and standing in the insurance and business world."

## Replacement In Jobs Discussed

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 19.—(P)—Directors of employment services in Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas and Oklahoma opened a 2-day conference today for the purpose of handling the problem they expect to arise through the displacement of workers because of the defense program.

Glen E. Brockway, in charge of the regional labor supply office, said 2 to 3 million persons might lose their jobs the next six months because of lack of materials for the industries in which they are employed. He said there was no estimate on the displacement in the 4-state area.

The directors have been advised by the government to keep close check on materials, work closely with plant managers, unions and government and be prepared to register all persons dropped when the industry displacement begins, he said.

## Suspect Some Of Radio Operators

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—(P)—Asserting that a number of radio operators suspected of subversive activity now were employed on American merchant



A chic, feminine chapeau appears among the "brass hats" of Washington's officialdom. Under it is Oveta Culp Hobby, whose new War Department job is to find out what women want to know about the army—and tell them.

## Agrees Senate Favors Repeal

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ships, James Forrestal, acting secretary of the navy, urged the senate today to grant authority to revoke these licenses.

Unless such power is granted immediately, Forrestal informed the senate commerce committee, the navy will be forced to replace all radio operators on American ships with navy operators.

Representatives of both AFL and CIO radio and maritime unions opposed the legislation, already passed by the house.

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bers of one faction described the others as "New Dealers" and were, in turn, called "Army Bureaucrats."

### Charge Ambitious Plans

The so-called "New Dealers" charged that the "Army Bureaucrats" had ambitious plans—even to the point of preparing proposed executive orders for the President's signature—which would expand and extend the export control administration's powers until it could be in control of the major part of defense industries.

This, the non-military action argued, would be detrimental to the best interests of American industry.

The military faction denied any ambitions to control industry, asserting the export control administration's powers were clearly defined in various presidential orders and had not been overreached.

The "New Dealers," they charged, were chiefly interested in placing their proteges in the considerable number of positions in the organization and utilize the emergency opportunity to experiment with "reforms."

Unchallenged facts in the controversy are:

After issuing a proclamation setting up the export control administration the President, on July 2, 1940, issued a military order as commander-in-chief which stated that control of exports was essentially a military function, and designated Maxwell as administrator of export control.

On September 15, the President, reversing his position that export control was essentially a military function, transferred the export control administration's functions to the economic defense board as a branch of that organization.

As the official reason for the change, Vice President Wallace announced that "the powers of the office of export control will be more closely integrated into the broader work of the economic defense board."

Judging from boarding house soup, oysters don't know yet that they're back.

## Find Shooting Was Accidental

DAVENPORT, Ia., Sept. 19.—(P)—A coroner's jury investigating the death Sunday night of Don Brandow, 30, Davenport ice cream maker, last night found "Brandow was accidentally shot and fatally wounded by a bullet from a pistol held by Mrs. Arthur Collins," Brandow formerly lived at St. Joseph, Mo.

The jury received testimony that Mrs. Collins and her husband, of Davenport, were visiting Brandow in the latter's apartment when the weapon was accidentally discharged. Ten witnesses, including the victim's mother, testified.

## Now Administrator On Surplus Market

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—Roy F. Hendrickson, agriculture department personnel director, today was appointed administrator of the surplus marketing administration and director of marketing for the D.A.R.M.

Hendrickson, a native of Mitchell county, Ia., succeeds Milo Perkins, who resigned recently to become executive director of the economic defense board.

The SMA administers the food stamp programs and directs relief distribution of surplus agricultural commodities.

ERIK designed this all-black American military hat-and-bag ensemble for town-trotting chic. Drum major hat and the matching bag are trimmed with heavy cord and tassels.



## Power Strike At K. C. Is Ended

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the U. S. circuit court of appeals a dispute between the IBEW and the independent union of utility employees over which should represent 200 overhead workers and a dozen employees in the steam department.

The union will follow the request of the mediation board, IBEW president Fred Riddell said early today, that the men return to work while an investigation of the dispute is made and cases pending before the NLRB and the U. S. court of appeals are expedited.

Skeleton crews of non-striking employees, under police protection supplied the city with lights and power while negotiators worked toward a truce.

### Meaning For Inquiry Power

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 19.—The city council voted today to put meaning in its own inquisitorial power today as an outgrowth of the city wide power strike.

An emergency ordinance was adopted providing a \$500 fine or jail sentence for anyone who refused to testify when subpoenaed by the council.

Albert F. Wright, a representative of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, was called before the council Wednesday on a mayor's subpoena, but refused on the advice of his attorney, to testify.

## Big Campaign Of Evangelism

MARSHALL, Sept. 19.—(P)—Bishop John Calvin Broomfield of the Methodist church disclosed preliminary plans today for Missouri's part in what he termed that denomination's biggest evangelistic campaign in history.

Evangelistic commissions and cabinets—made up of the district superintendents—or the three Missouri conferences will meet with the bishop next winter to outline final details.

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# Society And Clubs

Queen City Review No. 7, Women's Benefit Association, held its tri-monthly birthday dinner Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Georgie Martin. The house was decorated with gorgeous autumn flowers from her own garden.

At noon a sumptuous luncheon to which all contributed, was enjoyed.

While at the table the guests were given small slips on which to answer in a guessing game. Mrs. Mary Morris received first prize and Mrs. Mary Rippey consolation.

Mrs. Mary Schultz, of Otterville, was a special guest of the day and was presented with a fine handkerchief.

The Stephens College club will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening with Mrs. L. J. Banner of the Dean apartments.

## Church Events

THE Loyal Sunday school class of the Epworth Methodist church met on Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Arnold 1420 East Seventh street with nineteen members and guests present. Regular business

was attended to after which the following officers were elected for the coming year:

President, Mrs. Hugh Marshall; Vice President, Mrs. Aubrey Pruitt.

Secretary, Mrs. Homer Modlin; Treasurer, Mrs. Paul Shoemaker.

Corresponding secretary, Mrs. William Starke.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

Mrs. J. C. Ryan, Mrs. H. E. Lindstrom and Mrs. N. F. Bockelman entertained the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Fifth Street Methodist church Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ryan, 1407 West Tenth street, in honor of Mrs. L. M. Starkey, who will soon be leaving Sedalia.

Between forty-five and fifty members were present and during the afternoon a handkerchief shower was given Mrs. Starkey.

Assisting in the dining room were Mrs. D. P. Dyer, Mrs. Heber Hunt and Mrs. I. H. Reed.

A delightful musical program was presented by Mrs. J. M. Rodeman, Mrs. J. M. Vandermeulen and Mrs. Raymond Peterseun.

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## • La Monte

Mrs. R. E. Kerby

Mrs. Edward Ecker, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Smiley, their daughter, Mrs. Edgar Johnson and baby son Jackie, of Washington, Pa., and Robert Smiley, of Detroit, Mich., arrived last Wednesday for a visit with Mr. Smiley's and Mrs. Ecker's sister, Miss Elsie Smiley and their brother, H. H. Smiley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Parker and Mr. and Mrs. John Rathburn left Saturday for a visit with relatives in Iowa.

Kenneth Rogers and Mrs. C. N. Moore went to Jefferson City Sunday to visit the former's mother, Mrs. Lena Rogers.

The first meeting of the season of the Friendship club was held Thursday afternoon September 11 at the home of Mrs. Albert Shaw. The afternoon's program was in charge of the Press and Publicity committee. After the business meeting presided over by the president, Mrs. C. N. Moore, two vocal numbers were given by Mrs. Ray O'Dell and Mrs. R. E. Kerby. Mrs. B. F. Parker gave an interesting account of her recent trip to the coast. Refreshments were served at the close of the program.

Marion Lee Johnson, who has been in Springfield arrived last week for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Johnson and left Monday for Jefferson Barracks.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Clemens had as dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Amos Clemens, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Merchant, of Marshall and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Merchant, of Miami.

Dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Smiley Sunday were Mrs. Edward Ecker, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Smiley, their daughter, Mrs. Edgar Johnson and baby son, Jackie, of Washington, Pa., Robert Smiley, of Detroit, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Smiley, Green Ridge, Miss Irene Smiley, St. Louis, Mrs. W. C. Westbrook and Wallace Smiley of Houstonia and Miss Elsie Smiley. This was the first complete reunion of the Smiley family in thirty years.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swope have as their guests their son, Sergeant Wilford Swope and Sergeant Shifford Stevens, of Fort Ord Monterey, Calif. Also Mr. Swope's brother and wife the latter's sister, Mr. and Mrs. David Swope and Mrs. Henry Eggypt all of Los Angeles, Calif.

Miss Lucy Bebens and Miss Sue Mores, of Houston, Texas were weekend visitors of the former's sister, Mrs. Bruce Allen and Mr. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Irene Kuhlman, of Kansas City arrived Wednesday morning for a visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Wharton.

The K. J. U. Class of the Christian church entertained the teachers of the school with a supper at the church Wednesday evening. The members of the class whose birthdays fall in September were hostesses for the evening. A short program was given after the supper. There were forty girls.

Mrs. A. S. Hyatt is visiting the family of their daughter, Mrs. G. C. Arnette in Kansas City, Kas.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Hampton of Los Angeles, Calif., were in La Monte one day last week. Mrs. Hampton was Miss Lillie Humphrey and formerly lived here.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sevedge are visiting relatives in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rhoads left Tuesday morning for a few days to the Ozarks.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brunsmann returned to their home in St. Louis Sunday after a visit with the latter's sister Miss Mabel Hartman.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Olson, of Kansas City were weekend guests of Mrs. Olson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hull.

Visitors in the L. H. Wharton home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Arnold of Sedalia, Miss Juanita Hunter of Pittsville and Miss Mary Evelyn Foster, of Kansas City.

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## • Clarksburg

Mrs. Maude Tilbin

Miss Sadie Winebrenner, of Chicago, Ill., arrived Sunday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Mae Bailey and her brother, W. G. Winebrenner.

John Sturgis of Springfield was a guest last week in the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Bird Sturgis. Mrs. Sturgis and son, Hugh Easter accompanied him home and Hugh will enter Drury college there. Mrs. Sturgis will return home after a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Streby had as their guests the past two weeks, Mrs. Streby's sister, Mrs. Stella Walker, Mr. Walker and son from the state of Pennsylvania. They returned to that place accompanied by Mrs. Streby, who will visit there.

Mrs. F. B. Clark has as her guest Mrs. L. C. Sharp, of Bowling Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Rohrbach arrived Sunday afternoon from Wichita, Kas., where she has been visiting Mr. Rohrbach and son, Ralph, who are both employed there.

Harold Gookout, who has employment in Iowa spent the weekend with his wife and children.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Douglas of Kansas City, Mrs. William Nine, Jr., of Windsor and Mrs. J. E. Hand, of Houstonia, will leave shortly on a trip through the southwest.

Mrs. Bettie Crews is visiting her children in Iowa and Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Harris of Kansas City, Mrs. Ruth Packard and Mrs. C. M. Gray of St. Louis were here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morris of Kansas City are here with their father, George Morris, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Martin and son, Alvin, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Buie Sunday.

Mr. Will Alexander of Kansas City, formerly of Houstonia, died Monday at the home of her daughter. The body was brought to Houstonia Monday in the Westbrook ambulance and funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Community church. Burial was in the Houston cemetery. Her husband preceded her in death. Several children survive.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Wright have as their guests Mrs. Wright's mother and brother of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Williams visited in Lebanon one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stuart of Centralia visited Monday and Tuesday with Mrs. Stuart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George McClure.

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## • Knob Noster

The following were guests of Ernest and S. L. Adams and aunt, Mrs. Sallie Blithe at their home southeast of town Saturday night and Sunday. Mrs. George Winkler of Dubuque, Ia., Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hettick and Mrs. Hawkins of Kansas City.

Mrs. John F. Taylor spent from Wednesday until Friday with Mr. Taylor in Napoleon, Mo., who teaches in the high school there.

Members of Royal Neighbors Lodge met at the home of Mrs. Tom Beatty Friday afternoon. Following the business meeting a social hour was enjoyed, and refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. W. E. Zink, Jr., Mrs. Kenneth Silbert, Mrs. Rayburn Dawes, Mrs. W. J. Zuber, Mrs. James Livengood and Mrs. Rella Hughes.

Ray Kelly, Jr., Dorothy Wimer, Saraberry Clycombs and Richard Dawes are attending the Teachers College in Warrensburg.

A fire destroyed the smoke house of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ray early Sunday morning. Some furniture, which had been stored in the smoke house was burned. The origin of the fire is unknown.

The Knob Noster basketball team played the Kingsville team in Kingsville Friday night, with Knob Noster winning by a score of 31-10. Knob Noster's second team also won by a 13-9 score.

Roy Blaylock, son of the Rev. and Mrs. O. A. Blaylock, is ill at his home north of town with scarlet fever.

Miss Patricia Peithman of Kansas City spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Peithman.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry N. Gillum returned Saturday evening from a two weeks visit with their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Johnson and Mr. Johnson in Kansas City and with Mr. Gillum's brother, Fred, in Waverly, Kansas.

Miss Betty Ann Covey went to Parkville Tuesday morning where she will attend Park College. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Covey took her to Parkville. Mr. Covey returned to his home Tuesday evening and Mrs. Covey remained in Kansas City.

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Gardner Boyd, who teaches in Kansas City spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Boyd.

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## Aurora Borealis Puts On Spectacular Show

The northern skies put on a show for the nation last night, and bright flashes attributed to the aurora borealis, caused many inquiries at the Democrat-Capital office.

"Say, what's going on around here? Are they doing some army practice maneuvers?" queried one caller. Mrs. Emil Smasal, who resides about 10 miles north of the city, reported that the display was exceedingly brilliant near her home. The lights are rarely seen as far south as Missouri.

Others from rural routes and a number of person in Sedalia called to inquire about the unusual illumination. Some said they had come to the conclusion that huge spotlights were being used near here for some sort of army tactics since the lights seemed to weave back and forth, crisscrossing the sky.

**Wire Service Jittery**

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—(P)—A spectacular display of the aurora borealis swept the northern skies last night in a heavily show which led many an individual to believe it had something to do with national defense.

"Is the army testing a new searchlight?" Or "is the air force practicing a new type of night tactics?" were samples of some of the thousands of phone calls which swamped newspaper offices.

The Hayden Planetarium in New York answered calls at the rate of more than a 100 an hour; city dwellers mounted to rooftops while the people who deal in communications just moaned.

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### Veteran Editorial Writer 'Celebrates'

JEFFERSON CITY, Sept. 19.—(P)—Thursday was a day of double celebration for J. Kelly Pool, veteran editor of the Jefferson City Capital News.

Pool, known throughout Missouri for his Democratic editorials, observed his 81st birthday and his 50th anniversary as a newspaperman. His working day—as usual—started at 6 a.m.

### Address Given Farm Women

Comparing young men of World War I to those during the present world conflict, Miss Julia Rocheford addressed about 600 Pettis county women during their annual Achievement Day program at Convention Hall, Liberty Park Thursday.

Advising farmers to take care of their health by eating well-balanced meals, Miss Rocheford stated that American doctors in great numbers have joined the army to help keep the health of the United States troops at a high level.

### Tale Of Two Worlds' At Temple Beth El

The gripping story of the work of the Central Missouri Lumber Dealers association meeting Thursday at Hotel Bothwell, chose Boonville for the November 6 conference of the organization. Sedalia members of the association who will probably attend the Boonville convention are T. J. Sturges, the Sturges Lumber company, who is treasurer of the group; R. M. Johns, of the Johns and Sons Lumber company, and Glenn Neely, of the Gold Lumber company.

Ned Cowan, Clinton, is president of the organization. The session will be held for one day, with a business session and election of officers in the afternoon and banquet in the evening.

### Bars Control By Wallace

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—(P)—Because of an argument over the salaries of two clerks, it was learned authoritatively today, a last minute amendment to the record \$3,553,400,000 tax bill will strip Vice President Wallace of his control over the senate's office of legislative counsel.

The legislative counsel and his assistants aid senators in the preparation of legislation, advise them on questions of constitutionality and perform similar functions.

Since 1918, the vice president has had the power of appointing personnel for the office, and, in consultation with legislative counsel, of making changes in salaries and assignments. The tax bill amendment takes that authority from Wallace and gives it to the senate's president pro tempore, Senator Glass (D-Va.)

Authorship of the amendment, which will become law when Mr. Roosevelt signs the tax bill, was not disclosed. But members of the senate finance committee reported it grew from a running argument between Wallace and Henry G. Wood, the legislative counsel.

One committee man said two of Wood's clerks appealed to Wallace for salary increases and that he investigated their cases and decided higher pay should be granted. Wood was reported to have been vigorously opposed, however, contending that others in his office had more experience and were more entitled to raises. The dispute originated several months ago, reliable informants declared and continued for several months.

One authoritative report said that at one point Wallace ordered Wood from his office and that several senators then sought to bring about an amicable understanding.

You can expect news of a new counter-attack any day now. Fall sales!

### Local Time Tables

MISSOURI PACIFIC  
(Effective 12:01 Sept. 21)

**East Bound—Main Line**  
No. 10—Leave ..... 2:05 a. m.  
No. 20—Leave ..... 3:20 a. m.  
No. 12—Leave ..... 9:50 a. m.  
No. 6—Eagle Leave ..... 2:25 p. m.  
No. 14—Leave ..... 6:15 p. m.

**West Bound—Main Line**  
No. 9—Leave ..... 4:30 a. m.  
No. 5—Eagle Leave ..... 12:01 p. m.  
No. 15—Leave ..... 7:30 p. m.  
No. 11—Leave ..... 5:00 p. m.  
No. 19—Leave ..... 9:35 p. m.

**Lexington Branch**  
No. 655—Daily except Sunday  
Leave ..... 5:10 a. m.  
No. 656—Daily except Sunday  
Arrive ..... 11:40 a. m.

**Warsaw Branch**  
No. 567—Daily except Sunday  
Leave ..... 5:30 a. m.  
No. 658—Daily except Sunday  
Arrive ..... 12:30 p. m.

**MISSOURI PACIFIC BUS LINES**  
East Bound  
No. 108—Leave ..... 3:05 p. m.  
(Stops at Jefferson City)

No. 110—Leave ..... 6:20 p. m.  
No. 106—Leave ..... 11:05 a. m.  
No. 112—Leave ..... 2:30 a. m.

**West Bound**  
No. 105—Leave ..... 3:45 a. m.  
No. 103—Leave ..... 8:35 a. m.  
No. 107—Leave ..... 1:00 p. m.  
No. 109—Leave ..... 7:00 p. m.

**MISSOURI-KANSAS-TEXAS RAILROAD**

North and East Bound  
No. 6—Flyer Leaves ..... 11:53 p. m.

South and West Bound  
No. 5—Flyer Leaves ..... 6:35 a. m.

### 'The Parson of Panamint' and 'Scattergood Meets Broadway' at the Fox today and Sat.



The bewhiskered gent is Charlie Ruggles, better known as "Panamint," now showing at the Fox theatre.

### • Cole Camp

Many out of town persons attended the funeral Sunday of Pete Eickhoff, who died early Friday morning, September 5. Those attending included Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dillen, Mrs. Charles Thacker and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Finkland and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Eickhoff, of Brazzinton, Kas.; Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Hackney of Eldon, Mo., John Rothganger, Mrs. Laura Russell, Mrs. Josephine Nichols and children, Abe Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Albers, all of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Schwensen and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Wright and family, Mrs. Mattie Bohling and daughter, of Warsaw, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Eickhoff and family of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rothermund of Lincoln, Otis Stuhrmann, Sweet Springs and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tonjes of Green Ridge. Funeral services were at the United Lutheran church with Rev. Paul Miller officiating. Interment was in the Union cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coulter and daughter, of Ames, Iowa, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morrow and daughter. In the afternoon the Coulters and Morrows called at the home of J. B. Ehlers, Leonard Ehlers and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harms. Before his marriage, Mrs. Coulter was Miss Frances Lew, former Cole Camp grade school teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kohlmetz left Monday for their home in Waukesha, Wis., after a visit of two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. John Koehler and family.

Mrs. Mary Stelljes and son, Edwin, of Brazzinton, Kas., Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stelljes of Walnut, Kas., Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Stelljes of Pittsburgh, Kas., and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Graham, Walnut, Kas., visited relatives and friends in Cole Camp over the week end.

Mrs. Ida Miller, of Cole Camp and A. B. Dwinell, Wisdom, Mo., were married in Cole Camp last Saturday.

The name of Elizabeth Ann was bestowed upon the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thacker of Kansas City at a christening Sunday afternoon by Rev. Paul Miller.

Mrs. Lydia Miller, Kansas City, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. John Brauer.

Mrs. Maude Donnel and child, Taff, Calif., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burrett, Jr., from Saturday until Sunday. Mrs. Donnel is an aunt of Mr. Burnett.

Mrs. Josie Swope, of Crocker, Mo., and William Swope of Wichita, Kas., spent one day the past week with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Swope.

A large crowd attended a charivari for Harry Eickhoff and Miss Esther Denker, who were married last Sunday afternoon in Cole Camp. The wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. J. O. Loesch.

Miss Emma Eding returned to Chicago Monday after a visit of three weeks with her sister, Mrs. Dora Owens, and other relatives.

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### Fatally Hurt As Car Hits Abutment

SPRINGFIELD, Sept. 19.—(P)—Simon McDonald, 18-year-old Republic carpenter, died this morning in a hospital here from injuries he suffered when the car in which he was riding crashed into a bridge abutment 10 miles west of Springfield on highway 66. Driver of the car was his father-in-law, Ole Lowe, 53, who was seriously hurt. McDonald's survivors include his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. S. W. McDonald of Fort Smith, Ark., five brothers and five sisters.

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"And I'll bet Eleanor is hopping mad because she wasn't there too."

Note—The President gave as the explanation for having his two sons present the fact that they "happened" to be in the New England area.

**Harriman and Stalin**

When Averill Harriman sits down at the conference table with Josef Stalin this week, two men will come face to face who represent the complete antitheses of the economic world.

Stalin, a Communist, believes in state-owned railroads, telegraphs, banks, factories.

Harriman, a capitalist, is the chief owner of the Union Pacific Railroad, chairman of the Illinois Central, director of Western Union, and helps control various other big business enterprises.

Furthermore, Harriman comes from a background which represents American cut-throat capitalism at its peak. His father, the famous Edward H. Harriman, first built the Union Pacific Railroad, then engaged in a race with Jim Hill to control the Northern Pacific, a race which did not end until it had caused a crash in Wall Street.

Today, Averill Harriman, far more liberal than his father, is something of a New Dealer, but still a long, long way from Josef Stalin. In fact he and Stalin already have come to grips. This was after Harriman had signed a contract with the Soviet Government to develop its manganese deposits in the Caucasus.

The contract was perfectly legal and Harriman already had started investing his money, which among other things was to go toward the construction of a railroad.

However, the Soviet Government changed its mind. Stalin decided that these vast manganese deposits should be developed in accordance with Communist methods. After considerable argument, a settlement was made with Harriman, but even so he lost a sizeable amount of money.

Today, however, Harriman bears no grudge against the Soviet. And the fact that he was appointed to do business with Stalin indicates the new and weird cooperation between capitalists and Communists—at least as far as regards Adolf Hitler.

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**Sweeping the Steps**

In old Dutch Manhattan, the early light of each morning would find Dutch housewives carefully sweeping and probably scrubbing their front doorsteps. You can see the same thing in Baltimore even today.

The nation's front doorstep is, in a sense, New York harbor. And it is interesting to note that this doorstep, too, is being carefully and neatly swept each morning. Navy minesweepers are doing the job and doing it for two reasons: first, for practice, and second, "just in case."

Both are good reasons. In days like these days it is good to be ready for anything, and at the same time it is good to let the whole world know that you are ready for anything. It may always serve to keep temptation out of the way of somebody who might otherwise be tempted.

**Over The Top**

Precisely what lay behind Japan's more sober second thought in allowing American supply ships to go through to Vladivostok without molestation, we may not know. The decision seems to have been made before the President announced his "shoot first" orders.

The Russian air-borne mission to the United States may have had something to do with it. In 1937 a single-motor Russian plane flew non-stop from Moscow to the United States, and now, four years later, regular air traffic between Alaska and Siberia would be extremely easy to set up. In fact, any one of three or four perfectly feasible plane routes over the top of the world between Russia and the United States could be set up rather quickly, completely bypassing Japan, if the will and the need existed.

**So They Say**

I am a great believer in decentralization.—Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., chairman, General Motors.

We have still got a long way to go in quantity, but we have got the quality.—Robert A. Lovett, assistant secretary of war for air.

The tree toad is the only animal I know which can climb and croak at the same time. Nevertheless I've been hearing more croaking lately than ever before.—Gene Flack, public relations counsel.

**Looking Backward**

• forty years ago •

Boiler work on the Economy Steam Heating Company is being rushed to completion in order to serve patrons as soon as possible. The wave of cold weather which swept over Missouri today inconvenienced many of the customers. The new plant is being built at Broadway and the Katy tracks, and will serve customers who were cut off from a source of heat when the Street Railway and Electric Light Company refused to continue furnishing exhaust steam heat from its plant because of a price dispute.

The Rev. J. B. Fuller, Logan C. Thomas, J. M. Cannon, Louis Hoffman and W. T. Morris are delegates from the First Baptist church of Sedalia to the twenty-first annual convention of Harmony Baptist Association which will be held at the County-Line church, six miles northwest of La Monte, September 25, 26 and 27.

A servant in the employ of Mrs. Will Cloney accidentally threw \$800 worth of diamonds into a stove this morning, but the jewels were recovered from the flames before serious damage had been caused to them. The diamonds were wrapped in a paper.

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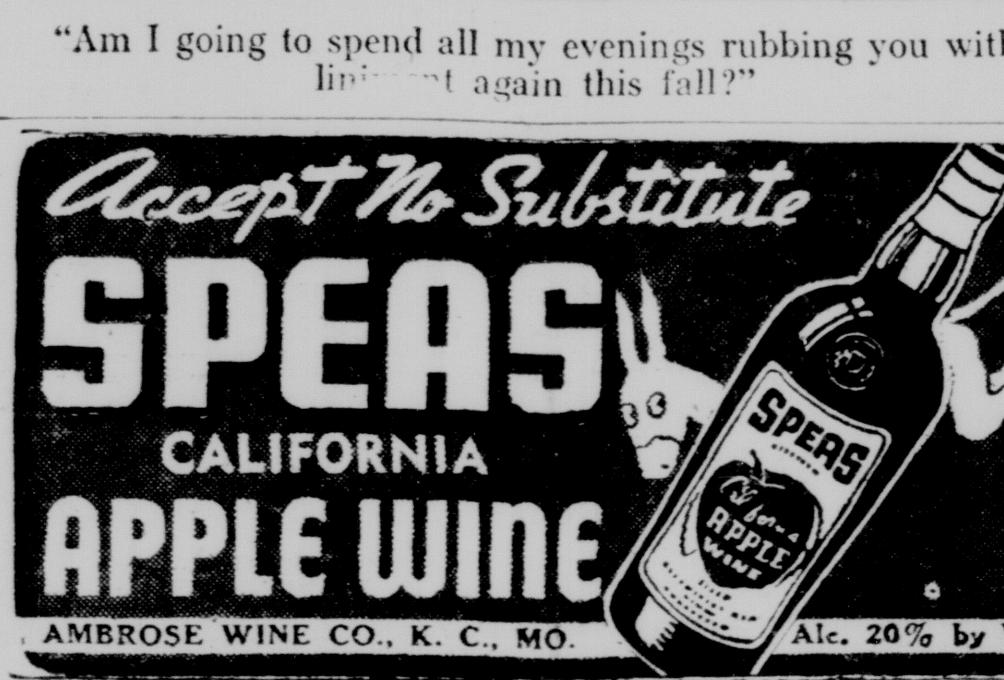
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**Sunday School Lesson**

**Justification Found for Christians  
Making Righteous Wars for Peace**

**Text: Revelation 12:7-12; 15:2-4**  
By William E. Gilroy, D. D.  
Editor of Advance

The topic of this lesson is "The Basis of Ultimate Victory." Victory is the word today. I have just returned from the war-active city of Halifax, N. S. Here I found in the shop windows, on automobiles and almost everywhere that one looked, the V symbolizing victory which, as a surreptitious symbol in German occupied and dominated countries has been so much troubling Hitler that he has sought belatedly to turn it to his own ends. But the Victory of our lesson is in an even larger and deeper warfare.

A lesson like this emphasizes all the difficulties of exact interpretation of the Book of Revelation, but the situation in our own time helps us to understand its broad teaching and purpose. As we have pointed out, it was written for severely persecuted and hard-pressed Christians.

Their faithfulness depended upon their hope of ultimate victory and it is this assurance that right will triumph over wrong that the writer of the Book was making plain. It is this that is graphically portrayed in this conflict of Michael, the true saint, and his angels, with the dragon and the angels of evil.

Surely there is a parable in this for our own time. A good woman recently wrote me to protest against our plans of defense and the assistance we are giving to others against aggression on the plea that "war is senseless." Of course war is senseless. It is more than senseless; it is criminal.

But must we not make a distinction between a senseless war and the force that law-abiding and peaceable men would use in suppressing crime and in meeting invasion or the threat of invasion? When the Christian, however, wars for anything but righteousness and peace, his warfare is not of God but of the devil.

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"There was war in heaven."

Even in heaven the forces and the power of evil could not be overthrown without conflict.

There is a point where the appeals of grace, overcoming evil

with good, and turning the other cheek, have their limitations, and the power of evil has to be met with uncompromising opposition.

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\* Serial Story

# Bride From the Sky

By HELEN WILSHIMER

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**THE STORY:** Aviator Sandy Ammerman tries to explain by long distance to associate magazine editor Judy that there is no truth in newspaper stories linking him romantically with heiress Peg Gordon. Judy, wounded, pretends she does not care, even though she is told by officials that she was Sandy's fiancee when she sought information after he had disappeared. She keeps an engagement with Phillip Rogers, her somewhat devoted young attorney, who obviously devotes his question to ask her.

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OFFER OF MARRIAGE

**CHAPTER X**  
PHILIP and Judy were seated at a candle-lighted table for two in the egg-shaped dining room of a hotel across from Central Park. The dining room was on the highest floor. The table to which the head waiter directed them was near the glassed enclosure at the front of the room. Outside the rain still flung silver magic and the lights of the park swang in the mist like distant yellow balloons.

Judy looked steadily at Philip as he said: "Darling, I've been trying to explain for five minutes that I want to marry you. I love you, if that helps any."

If that helps any... Of course it did. Especially when someone whose tall, lean strength was a Gibraltar in the midst of storm said the three words which every girl wanted to hear.

But how could she forget eyes that spanned mountains and bright hair that defied hats and helmets? How could she slide one man's picture out of the frame in her heart to let another's in?

She liked Philip and had known him for so long. She had been expecting this question and knew that life would be safer, more serene, and lead to happier landings in the end. Judy knew her answer.

But first she had a question to ask. "Sara?"

"Sara is of no importance to us, Judy," he answered. "My plans with her didn't amount to a row of beans. It was you I wanted to see when I came up town at noon."

"About what?" She sipped some cold tomato juice, for the tea hour had slipped into the dinner hour when they lingered.

"The book has gone to press, carrying her by-line over your story. You can object or pass up

the incident. Your editor doesn't know about it. Your own corrected proof sheets came in too late for her reading. But that other question, Judy dear? That one about marrying me?"

A stream of old songs had been floating softly from a string orchestra in the corner. Just now someone was crooning unfamiliar words:

"Breeze, that blew my gal away,  
I've had the blues all day;  
Since early morn."

The words had been wistful and nostalgic when Judy was around 10 years old, wearing her curls tied up with a bright blue ribbon. Yet something in the revival of the old song was perennially new and sad.

SHE looked into Philip's eyes, her own grave and a little wet. Philip was... splendid. Yes, splendid. Dark, tall, young, correctly handsome in a virile way, wealthy, popular, yet not quite as wide-shouldered, never as slouching, or as swift, as another man who so short a time ago had said, "I love you."

Oh, you could put all the good adjectives in the world in a hat, shake them up, and anything you pulled out would suit Philip.

Furthermore, he was dependable. He was steadfast, devoted, reliable. He had a sense of humor and a fortune. He would always provide beefsteak for his table and leggings for his children.

And Sandy was gone. Sandy who used his plane as a jitney, first for one heart, then another. Sandy, who was bringing Peg through. Her smooth cheeks deepened their color as she remembered she had proffered a love Sandy no longer needed.

Philip's eyes had not strayed since he had asked his question. Philip's voice was as gentle as before when he repeated his question.

With a quick determination Judy swung the door shut on the compartment in her heart marked Sandy. Silently she flung a mental key out of a great glass window into the budding leaves of the park.

Sandy had been infatuation, youth that never quite left you. Philip was love. Security. Unfailing devotion. Roots.

In the fraction of a moment while she thought she made her decision. Her face was white now, but her eyes深ened their purple shadows as she smiled at Philip.

"I'd love marrying you, Philip," she answered quietly.

She saw new radiance in his eyes and felt a swifter beat in

(To Be Continued)

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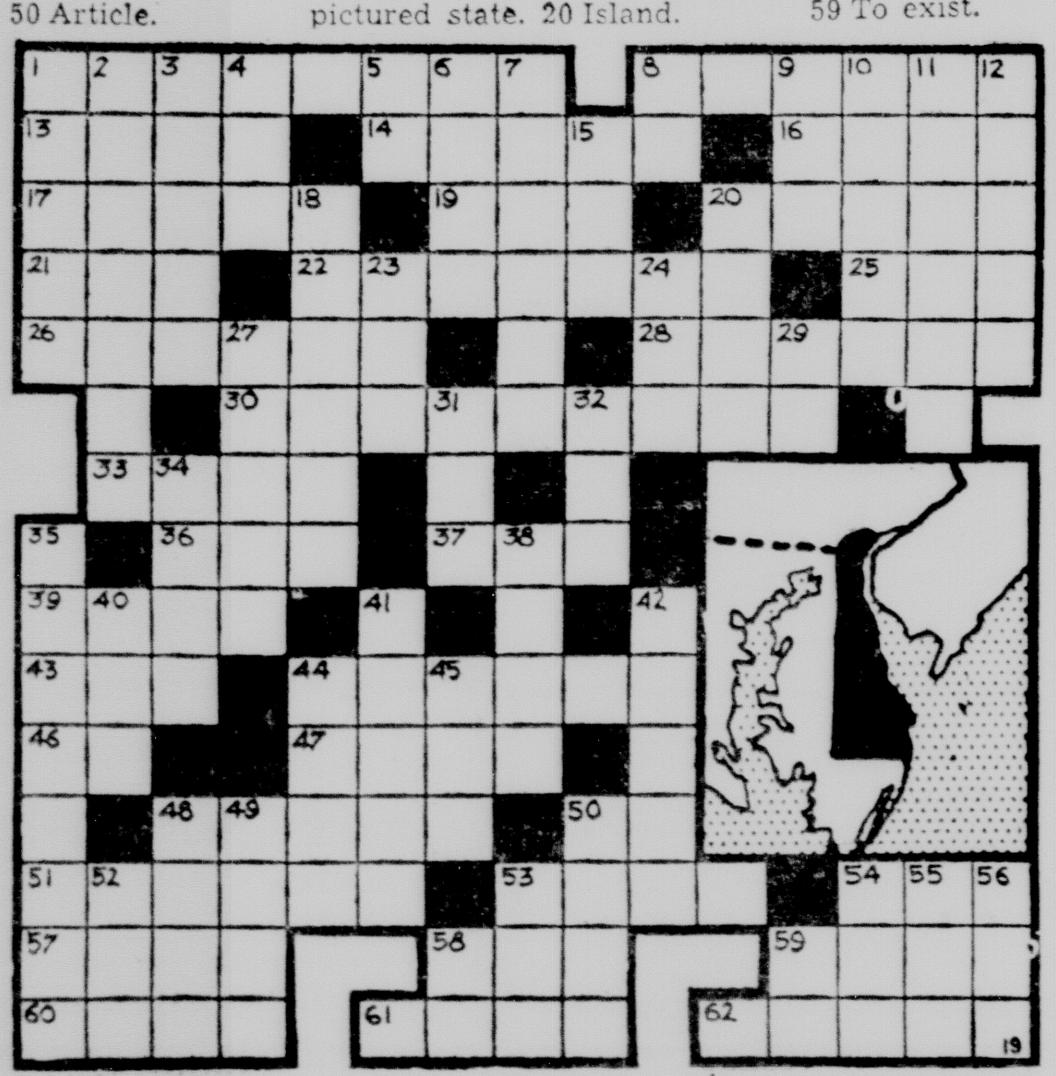
## \* Small State

**HORIZONTAL**

1 Pictured state.	2 Skill.
8 To stop suddenly.	24 Member of a tribe of Thailand.
13 Egg-shaped.	27 Former Russian rulers.
14 Verses of Scripture.	29 Paid publicity.
15 American Newspaper Publishers' Association (abbr.).	31 Wrath.
16 Waistcoat.	32 Corpulent.
17 Aviator.	34 Inland body of water.
18 To bury.	35 A stingy person.
19 Ensign (abbr.).	38 Sodium chlorid.
20 Mental abilities.	40 Mesh fabric.
21 Before.	41 A \$10 bill (slang).
22 Reveler.	42 Object.
23 Frightens.	44 Immense.
24 Gratified.	45 Atmosphere.
25 Suffix.	47 Learned.
26 Likewise.	49 Topmost.
27 Establishment (abbr.).	51 Surpasses.
28 Writing fluids.	52 Beverage.
29 Penetrate.	53 A sack.
30 Flavored with sage.	54 To marry.
31 Type of automobile.	55 Greek letter.
32 Capital of pictured state.	56 Vetch plants.
33 Height (abbr.).	57 Yellowish-brown.
34 Bet.	58 East Africa (abbr.).
35 Article.	59 To exist.

**VERTICAL**

1 Pictured state.	2 From sunset to dark.
2 Restaurant employee.	3 Rope.
3 Beseches.	4 High (abbr.).
4 Moist.	5 Close to.
5 Likewise.	6 Genuine.
6 Auricle.	7 Surpasses.
7 Greek letter.	8 Thus.
8 Penetrates.	9 Having run.
9 Far below.	10 Penetrate.
10 An interjection.	11 Semen (pl.).
11 Flavored with sage.	12 Vetch plants.
12 Type of automobile.	13 Number.
13 Capital of pictured state.	14 Firmly supported.
14 Island.	15 To exist.



A slimming new frock which rates high in fashion newness. The longer top with skirt attached at a low waistline is a new silhouette which you will see again and again in fall fashions. Our version has a simple front buttoning, open neckline top tapered with darts to fit closely through the natural waistline. The skirt features front and back fullness. Start your sewing for the new season with this popular style.

Pattern No. 8999 is in sizes 12 to 20. Size 14 dress, open neckline, 4½ yards 39-inch material. For a collar (separately sketched) allow ½ yard contrast fabric. For this attractive pattern, send 15c in coin, your name, address, pattern number and size to Sedalia Democrat-Capital, Today's

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## Cranium Crackers

### Married Stars

Much to the dejection of their fans, a good many of our screen stars are already married. Here's a chance to play Cupid and match up each of actresses listed below with her correct married name.

6. Dixie Lee  
7. Carole Lombard  
8. Mary Livingston  
a. McCrea  
b. Benny  
c. Gable  
d. Harris  
e. Coogan  
f. Paul  
g. Taylor  
h. Crosby

Answers on Classified Page

With 31 state forests covering 5,338,238 acres, Minnesota ranks first in area of state-owned forests.

**MARSHAL JOSEPH JOFFRE,** who commanded the French army from the outbreak of the

war in 1914 until 1917, was criticized in many quarters after the war for his generalship and tactics. He was called "the imposing edifice behind which other brains connived" and the "man who nearly brought France to ruin."

Joffre, who was honored philatelically in the 1940 stamp above, made no effort to defend himself. He wrote a two-volume book of memoirs but refused to permit publication until his death.

When he died in 1931, the book was released. Joffre critics were silenced in large measure, for it was found that the marshal operated under tremendous handicaps.

The French army in 1914 was still suffering from rigor-mortis caused by the disastrous war of 1870. Staff work was intolerable and the calculations of the war plans division proved poor.

Joffre, who was 62 at the outbreak of the war, is best known for his miraculous stand at the Marne, which stopped the German advance and saved Paris.

**COLLECTORS** of World War I military postmarks are re-opening their albums. Cancelled covers are now available from Army post offices in Greenland, Iceland, Newfoundland and other Atlantic bases.

## Stories in Stamps



Joffre's Stand at Marne Stopped Drive on Paris

**MARSHAL JOSEPH JOFFRE,** who commanded the French army from the outbreak of the

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## OUT OUR WAY



By J. R. WILLIAMS

## RED RYDER



## A Threat

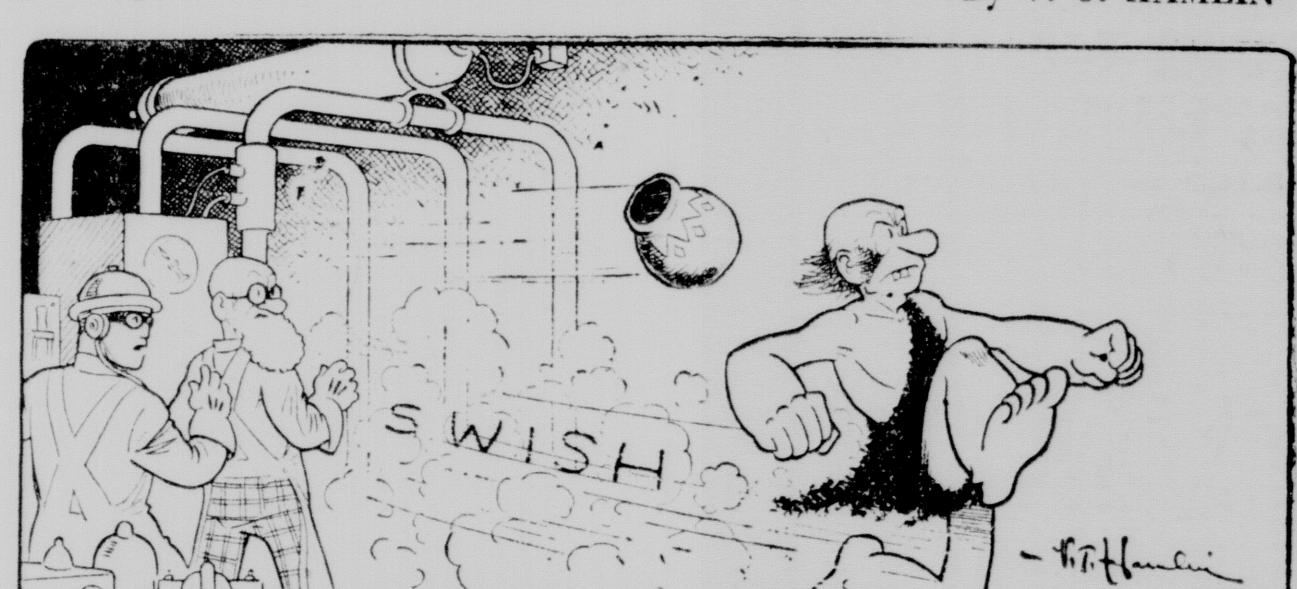


By FRED HARMAN

## ALLEY OOP



## Greased Lightning



By V. T. HAMLIN

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



## Plans, No Less



By ROY CRANE

## BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



## No Love Lost



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**1—Announcements****7—Personals**

FREE DIRT—423 W. 6th. Also 1507 S. Barrett.

HAY FEVER VICTIMS — Nasal Filters or Electric Mask. Star Drugs.

DARLING—You're too fat. Reduce with Ridd Salts, 69c. Star Drug Co.

MEN—Feel old at 40—lack pep—no ambition—no energy—take Pepsules, 69c. Star Drug Co.

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FOR BEST invisible soles in shoes repairing at reasonable prices. Phone 1030. Free call for and delivery. Sedalia Hat and Shoe Shop.

NOTICE—Effective September 6. Mr. Harry Brougher, new distributor for the Kansas City Star and Times, replacing Mr. C. H. Speiser, former distributor. Phone 2405.

**10—Strayed, Lost, Found**

LOST—JERSEY milk cow. Phone 2017. Reward.

LOST—Hound, black and brown legs, white breast. 521 Lafayette. Reward.

**II—Automotive****11—Automobiles for Sale**

1936 PLYMOUTH Deluxe coach. 9th and Engineer. Phone 942.

BUICK COUPE, late model. Fine condition. Must sacrifice. 312 West Fourth Street.

FORDS

1 1940 Ford Deluxe Tudor, radio and heater.

2 1937 Ford Tudor

1 1936 Ford Sedan.

1 1935 Chevrolet coach, extra clean.

2 1934 Chevrolet coach.

1 1933 Chevrolet coach.

1 1930 Ford coupe.

Authorized Ford Sales and Service

REAVIS MOTOR COMPANY La Monte, Missouri.

**12—Auto Trucks for Sale**

1½ TON TRUCK, 2 new 600x21 tires. Phone 3646.

**III—Business Service****18—Business Services Offered**

FISHING TACKLE and guns repaired. Dell, 509 East 4th Street.

WE WILL RENT a new vacuum cleaner with attachments all day for 75¢. Burkholder Maytag Phone 114.

PORTABLE feed grinding, 10c cwt. Martin Schupp, Route 2, 1125-F-3.

PEABODY RADIO SERVICE—Tubes. Sedalia's oldest. 1319 S. Osage. Phone 834.

CARL GOIST—Authorized radio service. 307 S. Ohio. Phone 206.

HAULING dirt, gravel, trash. Reasonable. Dry oak wood, \$4.50. Phone 3622-W.

HAVE YOUR old cotton mattress made over into one of those fine spring mattresses, at a very reasonable cost. Feather mattresses made from your feather beds. Bryan-Paulus Awning Company. Phone 131.

CABINETS, screens, insulation, storm sash. Phone 2737.

AVOID FIRE accidents, have your fires topped out, experienced. 3594-W.

BATTERIES—Charged and rentals. Minnows. Radiators backflushed. Eveready equipment. Special stove and light gasoline. Lake maps and all states. Floral Station. Highway 65 South, Sedalia, Mo.

**III—Business Service**

Continued.

**23—Insurance and Surety Bonds**

\$5,000 FOR 25¢—Accident ticket. Call Tom Yount, 144. Insurance and Surety Bonds of all kinds.

25—Moving, Trucking, Storing

MIDDLETON STORAGE COMPANY—Dependable service under owner management responsible. Storing, moving, packing and crating. Lamine and Missouri Pacific tracks. Phone 946.

**IV—Employment****32—Help Wanted—Female**

WANTED—Two licensed beauty operators. Phone 606.

WOMAN—cooking and housework, go home nights, off Sundays. Write Box "B" care Democrat.

33—Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Married man with small family not of draft age, for general farm work. Steady employment. Address "L" care Democrat.

36—Situation Wanted—Female

WANTED—Day work, small bundles laundered. Phone 1328 after 4:00.

**V—Financial****38—Business Opportunities**

GOOD pastry route with truck. Small investment. Call 169.

**40—Money to Loan—Mortgages**

LOANS—Farm—City 4½% to 5% Save 25% on your insurance. W. D. Smith, 307 Trust Bldg.

PRUDENTIAL—Five-seven-ten-year farm loans. Very low rates. Herbert L. Zoernig, Solicitor. 112 W. 4th.

48—Horses, Cattle, Other Stock

DEAD ANIMALS REMOVED FREE—Horses, cattle and hogs not skinned or decomposed. We pay telephone charges. Phone 3033.

MODERN CHINA hogs, 10 males, 5 gills, short type. W. L. Smith and Son, Route 2, Nelson, Mo.

PUBLIC SALE—Tuesday, Sept. 23rd, 1 o'clock, 6 miles East of Sweet Springs, 1 mile East Halls Station Highway 40. Old S. M. Leonard Farm, 50 head mixed native cattle. Harley Wing and Fred Lampe.

50—Rooms—Unfurnished, down-stairs. Modern. Phone 3942 after 6 p.m.

53—Building Materials

WINDOWS, doors, seats, and wash stands, from passenger car. Hyman Michaels Company, M. K. T. Shops.

54—DISCOUNT—100 squares each—composition shingles and metal roofing. Jackson Lumber Co., Smithton and Otterville.

55—Fuel, Feed and Fertilizer

SOFT COAL—Semi-anthracite coal; concrete gravel, sand. Phone 4045. Noel.

56—Sharp Tumble To Wheat Market

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—(AP)—Wheat tumbled 2½ to 3½ cents a bushel today as selling increased after midseason.

Grain brokers said war news from Russia and the statement of Bernard Baruch advocating legislation which would place a ceiling over the entire price structure were factors stimulating the selling. Stop loss orders were thrown into the pit by dealers when prices began to slump and many traders who still have profits as a result of the recent advance had to take them.

Wheat rallied almost a cent from the extreme lows due to late short covering but prices finished 1½ to 2½ cents lower than yesterday, Dec. 12, to \$1.204. May \$1.24 to \$1.24½.

Other grains reacted with wheat, rice leading the decline. Rye was 2½ cents.

57—Good Things To Eat

STEAM EVAPORATED Sorghum. 3 miles South Syracuse on Route D, Farm to Market. P. A. Smith.

58—Household Goods

FOR SALE—Piano in good condition. 814 W. 4th.

59—Plants, Flowers

CLARKAN seed wheat for sale, at farm. L. M. Littlefield, La Monte, Mo.

60—RECLEANED timothy seed and wheat. R. M. Gorrell. Phone 22-F-11.

61—Wanted—To Buy

WE ARE PAYING \$8.00 to \$9.00 per ton, for any kind of BLACK SHEET IRON including car bodies, fenders—any black sheet tin. Also highest prices for heavy scrap iron.

62—Capital Compressed Steel Company 500 E. Phelps St. SPRINGFIELD, MO.

**VIII—Merchandise**

Continued.

**66—Wanted to Buy**

WANTED—Old gunny sacks, burlap, paper and rags. 301 W. Main. Phone 59.

WANTED—Nice large clean rags; pay 5¢ per pound. Bring to Democrat office.

**IX—Rooms and Board****68—Rooms Without Board**

ATTRACTIVE—Modern bedroom. 120 E. 7th.

**X—Real Estate for Rent****74—Apartments for Rent**

YOU WILL like this 3 room furnished apartment. Phone 376-2367.

**75—Business for Sale**

Chicago Live Stock

Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 4,000; generally steady with Thursday's average on all weights and sows; good and choice 180 to 270 pound weights \$11.65 to \$11.95; top \$12.00; 270 to 300 pounds \$11.50 to \$11.80; 300 to 330 pounds \$11.40 to \$12.75; good 350 to 500 pound sows \$9.40 to \$10.25; choice sows under 350 pounds upward to \$10.75 and better.

Cattle 1,000; calves 200; generally steady market; best cows and medium grade killing steers rather slow, but dependable trade on meager supply of good and choice yearlings and weighty steers here; these going on eastern order buyer accounts at \$11.75 to \$12.25; latter price top paid for 1,200 pound averages; best yearlings \$12.10; odd head light steer and heifer yearlings up to \$12.25; medium and good steer steers \$9.50 to \$10.50; canner and cutter cows fairly active at \$7.35 down; practical tool weighty sausage bulls \$9.25; choice vealers \$14.50; week-end trade on stockers and feeders fairly active, firm at week's end 25 to 40 cents down with most western yearlings selling at \$11.00 to \$11.75; two bringing \$10.00 to \$10.75 and medium to good range and corn belt stock cattle \$10.25 down to \$8.75.

Sheep 1,000; all classes slow around steady; bulk good and choice natives spring lambs \$11.40 to \$11.65; choice westerns held \$11.75 upward; few fat western ewes \$5.50; bulk natives \$5.00 down.

St. Louis Live Stock

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, Ill., Sept. 19.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 4,000; load 180 pounds down to 5 cents lower; lighter weights strong; sows fully steady; hogs bulk good to choice 180 to 250 pounds \$11.85 to \$12.00; top \$12.25; few 260 pounds \$11.75; 140 to 160 pounds \$11.15 to \$11.55; 140 pounds down \$10.15 to \$11.25; good sows \$9.30 to \$10.00.

Cattle 1,200; calves 800; hardly enough on sale to make market; odd lots around steady in cleanup trade; few common and medium steers \$8.50 to \$10.00; feeders and mixed yearlings \$8.50 to \$11.50; beef cows \$7.00 to \$7.75; top sausage bulls \$8.75; vealers \$12.25; nominal range slaughter steers \$8.00 to \$12.75; slaughter heifers \$7.50 to \$12.50; stocker and feeder steers \$7.25 to \$11.75.

Sheep 1,500; generally steady; good to choice spring lambs \$12.25 to \$12.50; top \$11.75; medium to good \$10.00 to \$11.00; sows \$7.00 to \$8.50; slaughter ewes \$3.50 to \$5.00.

KANSAS CITY Live Stock

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 19.—(AP)—Hogs 1,000; slow uneven, 250 pounds down to 10 cents lower than Thursday's average; heavier weights steady to 5 cents higher; top \$11.90; no shippers; good to choice 170 to 250 pounds \$11.65 to \$11.85; 260 to 300 pounds \$11.10 to \$11.60; sows \$9.50 to \$10.40.

KANSAS CITY Produce

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 19.—(AP)—Eggs: Extra firsts 31½¢; firsts 28½¢ to 29½¢; second 25½¢; 30¢ to 31½¢.

Poultry: Hens, heavy (5 pounds over) 20¢.

Other produce unchanged.

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Executive's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of W. L. Porter deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 26th day of August, 1941, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executor within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 26th day of August, 1941.

HERBERT L. ZOERNIG.

## Cards Caught In Slump And Lose To Boston

Birds Collect Only Six Bingles Off Braves' Salvo

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 19.—(P)—Opportunity pounded on the Cardinals' door Thursday—almost broke it down, in fact—but they couldn't answer with base hits and lost a golden chance to take

over the lead in the National League race.

Caught in a batting slump, the Redbirds managed only six safeties off Manuel Salvo, heretofore a so-so pitcher, and lost to the pesky Boston Braves, 4 to 1.

Meanwhile, the Pittsburgh Pirates had tumbled the league leading Brooklyn Dodgers, 6 to 5, making them an easy victim for the Cardinals.

A good stout bat would have done the trick but the Cardinals had holes in the ones they were waving at Salvo. It's been that way for more than two weeks.

### 46 Runs in 16 Games

The Cardinals have scored only 46 runs in their last 16 games, an average of less than three tallies a game, and their batting average over that stretch has been .207.

Against Salvo, the Cardinals put together Estel Crabtree's triple and Marty Marion's single for a run in the second inning, but Stan Musial's single and Johnny Mize's double just meant two men left on bases in the third. The remaining two hits—singles by Jimmy Brown and Gus Manuccio—were wasted in double plays.

Morton Cooper, who throws a speed ball and a sharp curve, could have made a battle if it except for his home run pitch. He served one to Frank Demaree after two Boston singles in the opening inning. Frank's drive was his only hit of the series.

Gene Moore's home run in the sixth inning was just so much more black crepe for the Cardinals.

### Tough Ones Due

Boston was the last Eastern club on the St. Louis schedule this season and Pittsburgh was the last stop on Brooklyn's final Western trip. The Cardinals now tackle the tough westerners—Chicago and Pittsburgh—while Brooklyn finds supposedly easier pickings with Philadelphia and the Braves.

The Dodgers, however, won't have any tea party if they run into a Boston club as tough as the one that faced the Cardinals today. The Braves played an errorless game, backed Salvo with several fielding gems and hit at just the opportune moment.

The Russians' scorched earth policy is far-reaching. It's burning up the Germans.

## Extra Game For Two In Big Six

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 19.—(P)—Kansas and Missouri, who glory in their athletic eminence, can't wait until the start of the football season so each has slipped an extra game on the schedule. Tonight the victory-starved Jayhawkers tangle with the alumni and Coach Givens Henry hopes to see his new backfield of Ralph Miller, Ray Evans, Ray Niblo and Don Ettinger chase the memories of all those sad years from Mt. Oread.

Missouri, already owner of a five-man hospital list, waits until Saturday before showing the freshman the tricks Don Faurot has been teaching the Tigers behind locked gates.

Capt. Darold Jenkins is the latest and most serious casualty. The veteran center suffered a knee injury while running signals yesterday.

He joins Tackle Bob Brenton, Guard Bob Jeffries, Fullback Rayburn Chase and Halfback Joe Flavin on Arnica avenue. Flavin is the Maplewood, Mo., sophomore who wiped out most of Paul Christman's prep passing records. He will be sidelined for two weeks with a bad knee.

Iowa State also has its coming out party Saturday, with Coach Ray Donels dividing his talent into two squads.

Nebraska scrimmaged just long enough yesterday to give each team a chance to score a touchdown. Allied Zikmund, who did a lot of the Huskers' hurrying in the Rose Bowl last January, was the hero of one team with Howard Debus' passes instrumental in the other score.

Linemen at Kansas State had live targets in a blocking and tackling drill while the backs received special attention from Coach Hobbs Adams on ball handling.

## Brilliant 'Grid' Career Blasted

HANOVER, N. Y., Sept. 19.—(P)—A doctor's report, coldly couched in medical phraseology, blasted a brilliant gridiron career and wrote tragic finis today to a second partnership of the football firm of McLaughry and Son.

The doctor, one of the best, Dr. Donald C. Munro, the famed brain specialist of Boston City hospital.

The senior partner? That great guy, Deormond "Tuss" McLaughry, who found the last buffet of fate the hardest to take in his new role as head football coach at Dartmouth college.

The junior partner? Son Bob, a sophomore, reckoned as one of the finest backs ever to climb the long hill up to Hanover.

The report? It said that Bob must never play football again. He must never engage in any rugged contact sport, for an injury he suffered in spring practice was not a nerve injury. It was a broken neck, although not as serious as that bald statement might imply.

"Tuss" and Bob were going to do great things at Dartmouth this fall.

Neither father nor son reckoned with what a perverse fate would do.

They must be heartbroken today. But "Tuss" has weathered many storms and heartbreaks and he'll be out there this afternoon with his squad. And Bob, who couldn't be anything but a carbon copy of the old man, will be taking it like a McLaughry.

## Scores In Big Leagues On Thursday

National League  
Pittsburgh 6, Brooklyn 5.  
Boston 4, St. Louis 1.  
Chicago 7, New York 1.  
Cincinnati 5-9, Philadelphia 0-2.

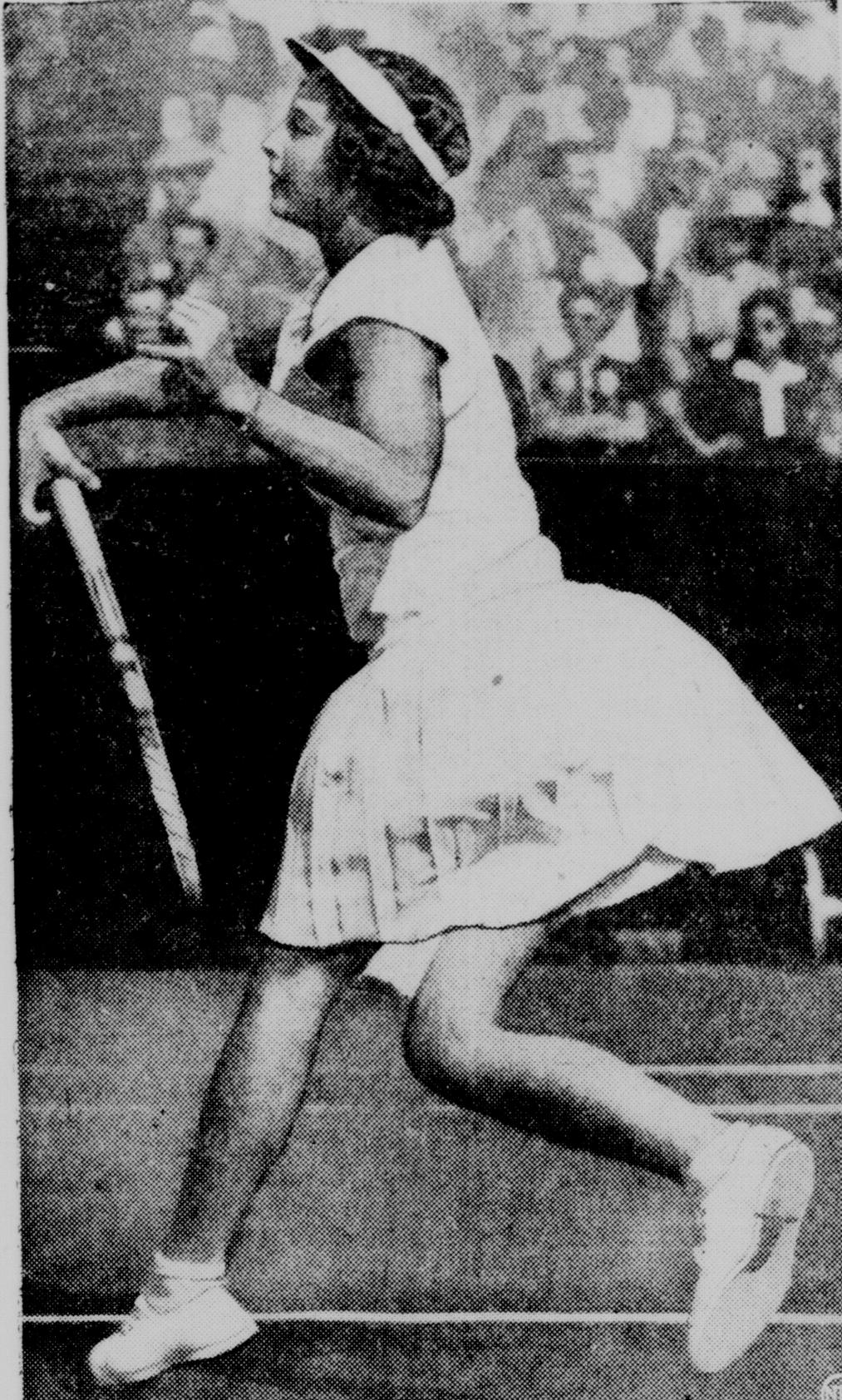
American League  
Cleveland 6, Boston 1.  
Washington 9, St. Louis 8.  
(Only games scheduled).

American Association  
(Play-off)  
Louisville 7, Minneapolis 1.  
(Louisville wins series 4-2).

Southern Association  
(Final playoff)  
Nashville 9, Atlanta 2 (series squared at 3-all).

Texas League  
(Play-offs)  
Dallas 5, Tulsa 4.

## The Queen Returns



Mrs. Helen Wills Moody Roark returns to wars to team with Jack Kramer and outclass Mrs. Sarah Palfrey Fabyan Cooke and Bobby Riggs, 6-3, 6-3, as west rounds east at Pacific Southwest tournament in Los Angeles.

## Football Season Is To Open This Evening

By CHARLES CHAMBERLAIN  
KANSAS CITY, Sept. 19.—(P)—Missouri's football season explodes tonight in an opening schedule that strings out to Monday for eight of the state's colleges.

Six teams—five in the M. I. A. A.—dig their cleats into the turf tonight and among them are the Springfield, M. I. A. A. champs and one of the few unbeaten teams in the nation last year.

The schedule: Friday night—Missouri Valley at Kirksville; Warrensburg at Rockhurst; Durant, Okla., Teachers at Springfield; East Kentucky Teachers of Richmond at Maryville; Saturday night—Arkansas State at Missouri Mines; Monday—Culver-Stockton at Murry, Ky., Teachers.

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Maryville is a threat, but Coach Ryland Milner's brow is furrowed with the problem of constructing a line around a couple of strong tackle positions only. Five veterans after the tackle posts. In all, 16 lettermen are suited—4 in the backfield headed by Ivan Schottel, 195-pounder.

The Bearcats face a bruising first game, for their Kentucky opponents scored 273 points last year and gave only 20. Chuck Shuster, little All-America end, is among 28 Kentucky holdovers.

Injuries have knocked into Kirksville's ranks with Mal Eiken.

At Springfield, Mo.: Southeastern Oklahoma State vs. Springfield, Mo., Teachers.

At Des Moines, Ia.: St. Ambrose vs. Drake (N.).

At Topeka, Kas.: College of Emporia vs. Washburn (N.).

At Winfield, Kas.: Sterling vs. Southwestern (N.).

At Kearney, Neb.: Bethany vs. Kearney Teachers (N.).

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At Kansas City, Mo.: Warrensburg Teachers vs. Rockhurst (N.).

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At Lubbock, Tex.: Abilene Christian college vs. Texas Tech (N.).

At Rolla, Mo.: Arkansas State vs. Missouri Mines.

Sunday, September 20  
At Omaha, Neb.: St. Benedict's vs. Creighton.

Former Secretary Of Farm Clubs Dies

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Sept. 19.—(P)—Roy C. Watt, 49, secretary of the St. Louis Cardinals' farm club here from 1931 to last December, died of a heart attack this morning. Watt, an employee of the St. Louis organization 17 years, also had served as secretary of farm clubs at Fort Smith, Ark., Topeka, Kas., and Shawnee, Okla. Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Wybert Brown of Oklahoma City, and a brother, Will Watt of El Paso. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

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## Durocher Fined \$150 By Frick

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—(P)—Ford Frick, president of the National league, today levied a fine of \$150 on Leo Durocher, manager of Brooklyn's pennant-bound Dodgers, for his part in a heated dispute during yesterday's game between Brooklyn and Pittsburgh.

Frick said that the fine "closed the book" on Durocher as far as his part in the wrangling in the game was concerned, but he said other disciplinary action may be taken tomorrow in regard to the reported row between Umpire George Magerkurth and Brooklyn players under the stands after the game. Durocher was not involved in this controversy.

Frick said he had not received a full report on that incident yet as the Brooklyn club, and also Umpire Bill Stewart, who was a witness to the post game proceedings, are in Philadelphia today. He said he would have "someone" talk to the players and Stewart today.

Asked if he had considered any action against Brooklyn pitcher Hugh Casey, who is reported to have thrown three wild pitches after a balk had been called on him, Frick said:

"I want to find out about those pitches, as well as what happened under the stands," he said he may go to Philadelphia himself tomorrow.

Before fining Durocher, Frick talked with Magerkurth, and also Umpire in Chief Bill Klein who observed the proceedings from the stands.

## Reiser Hitting Like A Demon

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 19.—(P)—The next nine harrowing days will decide whether the Brooklyn Dodgers will wear the National league crown but there's a lad in their midst today who already seems a shoo-in for a bunch of individual honors.

He's two gun Pete Reiser, who may end his first full season as a major league wearing the triple plated crown of batting champion, outstanding rookie and most valuable player to his team. And to this record might be added the title of "personality champ" for this unassuming kid.

Reiser looks like the fresh-faced youngster next door but he hits baseballs like a demon and currently ranks among the greatest clutch hitters in the game.

Lippy Leo Durocher, manager of the Brooks, calls outfielder Pete one of "the best young players I ever saw."

"He's going to be an even better hitter because he's going to get smarter the longer he's up," Leo the Lion added.

Discussing his hitting, Pete said in dead seriousness:

"I wouldn't mind batting five times and going hitless. If I got up that many times in a game it would mean somebody on the club was hitting."

That, friends, is modesty in a large way.

When U. S. gets through cleaning up the high seas everything at the bottom will be ship-shape.

## Football Schedules For This Weekend

Friday, September 19

At Beaumont: Sam Houston State vs. Lamar (N.).

At San Jose, Calif.: Texas A. and M. vs. San Jose State (N.).

At Newton, Kas.: Northwestern Oklahoma State vs. Bethel (N.).

At Pittsburgh, Kas.: Northeastern Oklahoma State vs. Pittsburg Teachers (N.).

At Lawton, Okla.: Southwest Oklahoma Tech vs. Cameron Aggies (N.).

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## Calls For Nearly Six Billion More In Lease-Lend Funds

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## Convict Doctor Of Assault

BOLIVAR, Mo., Sept. 18.—(AP)—Dr. Robert Murrell, 35, Eldon, Mo., osteopath, was convicted of felonious assault and given a 2-year penitentiary term today for his part in the flogging of Max Caldwell, husky Ozark guide, last May 1.

Caldwell, stripped to the waist, was lashed in the cabin of Miss Hilda Rhoads, 25, blonde fiancee of Murrell, who accused Caldwell of having raped her a year before. The cat-o-nine tails was wielded by Miss Rhoads and her roommate, Miss Aldythe Keeth, 26.

Dr. Murrell heard the Polk county circuit court jury's verdict and sentence without visible emotion. There was no demonstration or outbreak in the courtroom as Judge C. H. Jackson read the verdict and sentence.

### To Ask New Trial

Attorneys for Murrell said they would seek a new trial.

Judge Jackson allowed them until Oct. 4 to file the motion.

Dr. Murrell will remain at liberty under a continuing \$5,000 bond.

The jury reached its decision in an hour and 45 minutes. Jurors received the case at mid-afternoon after final arguments by attorneys.

## Electrical Workers Called Back

### Reach Truce In Kansas City's Power Strike

KANSAS CITY Sept. 18.—(AP)—Striking electrical workers were called back to work after a two day walkout that blinded and paralyzed Kansas City at its outset but a misunderstanding between union and company officials forbade prolongation of the dispute.

The strikers, members of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (AFL), were instructed by their local officers to report back to work for the 11 p. m. shift. Pickets were withdrawn, but an hour later reappeared without explanation.

W. B. Petty, I. B. E. W. organizer, said the back-to-work order was issued on his understanding that it was agreed the Kansas City Power and Light Company would replace all employees in the status which they occupied prior to the strike, without discrimination.

H. A. Kuhn, vice-president of the power company, said he had a very definite understanding with George Stocking of the defense mediation board, which engineered the truce, that men accused of sabotage would not be reinstated unless they were exonerated.

Necessary services and expenses \$285,000,000.

Administrative expenses \$10,000,000.

The proposed bill also carried language which would permit the shifting of the various funds from one category to another provided that no consolidated item should be boosted more than 30 per cent.

This would not apply to the \$10,000,000 for administrative expenses.

**Buys Land At Prices Fixed By Appraisers**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—(AP)—The government already has begun purchasing land in the Neosho, Mo., army camp area on prices fixed by soil conservation service appraisers, the war department announced.

There will be no general appraisal, the department said,

but landowners who object to the prices set will be given an opportunity to offer evidence of greater value before condemnation proceedings are carried out.

A congressional military affairs sub-committee heard protests of land price offers in a session at Neosho Monday.

**Business Men's Meeting At Shops**

The monthly business men's meeting at the Missouri Pacific shops will be held at 12:30 o'clock this afternoon and is expected to be another of the highly interesting ones.

Attorney Frank W. Hayes and Pinkney Miller, of the Smith-Cotton high school faculty, are the speakers for the session and it is expected that a large delegation of business and professional people will attend.

The air was filled with scat-

## 600 Attend Achievement Day Program

Speech And Pageant Highlight Events During Afternoon

Comparing young men of World War I to those during the present world conflict, Miss Julia Rocheford addressed about 600 Pettis county women during their annual Achievement Day program at Convention Hall, Liberty Park, yesterday.

Advising farmers to take care of their health by eating well-balanced meals, Miss Rocheford stated that American doctors in great numbers have joined the army to help keep the health of the United States troops at a high level.

Featuring models wearing wedding gowns dating from what the well dressed bride wore 100 years ago up to the present, a pageant, "Styles Through the Ages," was presented during the session. The pageant, written by Mrs. James McFatrich of the South Abel club, was directed by Mrs. Ray O'Dell of LaMotte and narrated by Mrs. Raymond Wasson. Stokley, 48 club members participated in the show.

## Halt Trains In Cannon Tribute

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 18.—(AP)—Missouri Pacific lines paid its last respects today to John Cannon, 69, chief operating officer and general manager of the railroad, who died last Sunday.

As funeral services were being conducted at 2 p. m., all trains stopped and remained stationary a full minute. More than 20,000 employees of the railroad's shops and offices ceased work and stood in silent tribute to the memory of their former chief.

L. W. Baldwin, Missouri Pacific executive, said that more than 100 freight and passenger trains were affected by the order.

Cannon began his railroad career 55 years ago in his native home of Cairo, Ill., as messenger clerk with the Illinois Central. He was connected with Missouri Pacific lines the past 36 years, becoming general manager in 1925. He was named vice-president in charge of operations the following year.

## Certify October Payments To Aged

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 18.—(AP)—Ed McDonald, regional social security director, today announced grants to Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma for the quarter ending December 31 and certified October payments to Missouri for old age assistance of \$729,227.67 and aid to dependent children of \$179,022.57.

## Elks To Purchase Bonds For Defense

United States Defense Savings bonds in the amount of \$200,000 will be purchased by the Sedalia Lodge No. 125, B. F. O. Elks. The lodge voted favorably to approve a recommendation to this effect made by the board of trustees at Wednesday night's meeting.

### Fined For Lack Of City Auto License Tag

Elmer Riche, charged with operating a car without a city license was fined \$3 by Magistrate C. W. Bente in police court and ordered to obtain a license for his car yesterday.

Gilbert Burke, charged with running a stop sign paid a \$2 fine in police court.

## Terrific Struggle In Maneuvers By Troops

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Armor-girded land forces of Second and Third armies locked yesterday in a terrific struggle along a 75-mile wavering front from Alexandria, in central Louisiana, westward to Texas as the simulated warfare involving 500,000 men, reached its highest tempo since the start last Sunday.

Massed infantry, artillery, cavalry and armored forces drove through tangled underbrush and thick forests while overhead opposing air forces were engaged in support of their land forces.

Attacking with sudden fury, Lieut.-General Ben Lear's mobile Second army drove from the north between two solidly entrenched flanks of Lieut.-General Walter Krueger's Third army. The surprise move wedged heavily-armed Second army forces deep into the heart of the numerically superior Third army.

Supported by far ranging bombers, hundreds of tanks rumbled southward as far as Deridore and Oakdale, La., and battered hard pressed Third army divisions between Hornbeck and Leesville, Louisiana.

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## Schedule Of Income Taxes Under New Bill

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—(AP)—Income taxes to be paid under the new \$3,552,400,000 revenue measure, now awaiting signing on President Roosevelt's desk, will double, triple or quadruple the amounts now paid by many taxpayers under present law.

Following are taxes to be paid by a single man with no dependents, under the bill and under existing law: (Net income means total income minus deductions for taxes, interest, church contributions and business expenses):

Net	Net	Present	None	None
\$ 800	\$ 300	\$ 0.60	None	None
1,000	210	1.40	None	None
1,500	690	2.40	3,000	30.80
2,000	1170	4.00	5,900	71.60
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5,000	482.50	17.60	10,000	528.00
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## Jingo

Words are like people. Some of them get bad names, some good. Some deserve the bad and some the good, but all are affected by the reputation they bear.

"Jingo" has become a bad word. It has come to mean an irresponsible war-monger.

The name comes, if recollection serves, from an old verse reading in part, "We don't want to fight, but by Jingo if we do, we've got the men, we've got the ships, we've got the money, too!"

People remember the catchy word "Jingo." They forget the "we don't want to fight."

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The United States, whether we like it or not, is getting into a position just a little like that today. We, too, don't want to fight. For two years we have resolutely stayed clear of fighting. We have given up rights to ship our goods by sea which we always claimed before. No American ship has gone into a European port which was blockaded or in the actual war zone, though we always previously claimed the right to send them there.

Why did we give up those rights? Because insisting on them 23 years ago got us into a fight and today we don't want to fight.

What is the best assurance today of keeping out of a fight?

Why, a clear demonstration to the world that "we've got the ships, we've got the men, we've got the money, too!"—and further, the clear demonstration that, if necessary, we propose to use them.

The United States has nothing very directly against Japan. It wants no war with Japan. But it simply will not acquiesce in Japan's putting a "Keep Off" sign on the whole of east Asia. The United States has nothing very directly against Germany. But it will not acquiesce in Germany's putting a "Keep Off" sign on the whole of Europe and Africa. Especially since those signs are expanding signs, by their nature and by their past performance.

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There is a chance to avoid war if the United States will pile up sufficient force that no party of World War II will wish to offend us. There is a chance to avoid war if enough surplus war supplies are produced and sent to those resisting aggression so that they may win out. There is a chance to avoid war if U. S. power is so great that fear of it forces a decent peace.

But those are the only chances. Otherwise the United States faces war whether it wants to fight or not. In either case, the ships, the men, and the money are as necessary to the national life as breath itself.

## An Army To Be Proud Of

The summer maneuvers of the various American army units give every reason for Americans to be proud of their army.

Some of the conditions of the problems worked out have come about as close to actual warfare as that can be done in time of peace, and some of the hardships undergone have approximated those of an actual war. War Secretary Stimson is probably right when he said that troops participating in the maneuvers are far, far ahead of the divisions sent to France during World War I. Yet those divisions, thrown in against crack German divisions with four years of experience back of them, did very well indeed. They broke the German lines, at a cost greater than they would have had to pay had their experience been greater, but they broke them.

So today, there is no reason to be discouraged. The armies in training today are good soldiers, and, given a little more specialized training for the specialized warfare of today, they will be quite capable of meeting any emergency the country may have to meet.

## Out of the Dust Bowl

The Dust Bowl, which monopolized headlines a few years ago, needn't be a permanent feature of the national picture. This is one of the things man helped to create, and, with intelligence and will, man can remedy.

There are signs that progress has been made. The shelter belt, target of the unthinking when it was projected, exhibits modest success. Now from South Dakota comes word that 3,100 farms were sold in that state in the first six months of this year; that 87 percent of the buyers planned to operate the farms bought, and that 814 were bought by tenants already operating them. Many of these farmers, taught in the bitter school of the dust bowl, are turning from cash crops, wheat and corn, to diversified farming.

We hope this straw shows which way a real wind is blowing, and not a wind laden with dust.

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## Obituaries

### Charles T. Brooks

Charles T. Brooks, well known Sedalian, passed away suddenly at 8:30 o'clock Saturday morning, at his home, 417 East Broadway, as he was preparing to drive his automobile down town. Mr. Brooks had been in failing health and under a doctor's care for some time, but his condition was not considered alarming. Saturday morning he arose as usual, ate breakfast, and went to the garage to get the car to drive down town. He died suddenly beside the car.

Mr. Brooks was born in Howard county, on April 26, 1872, son of the late Thomas and Mary Brooks. His entire life was spent in this community with the exception of ten years spent in Riverton, Wyo. For many years he worked for the City Light and Tractor company in this city.

Mr. Brooks was married to Miss Elizabeth Donahue, of Sedalia, in Riverton, Wyo., January 29, 1927, and they returned to Sedalia August 29, 1929 to make their home.

Surviving, besides his wife, are three sisters, Mrs. Frank Riley, of this city, who is at present visiting in Los Angeles, Calif. Mrs. Harold Bundy, also of this city, and Mrs. George Thaddeus, Los Gatos, Calif. Another sister, Mrs. John R. Quinn passed away in San Jose, Calif., on July 1, this year. He also has many nieces and nephews.

**John Cornelius Griffom**

John Cornelius Griffom, 73 years old, passed away at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Park Home where the rosary was recited at 8 o'clock last night.

### Mrs. Susie A. Mergen

Mrs. Susie A. Mergen, aged 55 years, wife of August A. Mergen, died at the family home, eight miles southwest of Sedalia on No. 6, at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mergen had lived in that community for a period of thirty-two years and was held in high esteem by a wide circle of relatives and friends.

Besides her husband she is survived by four children, Theodore, Marie, Louise and Francis. Another child died in infancy.

A sister, Mrs. Adam Smasal, of Cole Camp, and two grandchildren, also survive her.

She was a member of the Altar Society of the Sacred Heart church and was a regular attendant there.

### Aubrey M. Hunter

Aubrey M. Hunter, division freight agent for the MKT, at St. Louis, who began his railroad career in Sedalia as a ticket clerk at the Katy passenger station here, passed away at a hospital in St. Louis Monday night at 7 o'clock following a stroke suffered that morning.

Mr. Hunter had been granted a leave of absence by the MKT, to serve as superintendent of transportation at the TNT plant of the Atlas Powder Company at Weldon Spring. This plant was constructed to make high explosives in the government's defense program.

His employment with the Katy extended back to 1909 and was continuous with the exception of from September 1917 to January 1920 when he was at Toronto, Canada, being loaned to the British Munitions Board Aviation Section.

A recent article in the Katy Employes Magazine says of him: "Mr. Hunter is one traffic man who is just as familiar with the passenger side as with the freight side of the railroad business. After serving as ticket clerk at Sedalia and Muskogee, Okla., he went to Oklahoma City as the passenger agent at Detroit.

On November 1, 1938, he was transferred to Joplin as division freight and passenger agent and on July 1, 1931 was promoted to division freight agent at St. Louis.

Mr. Hunter was an affable man and a familiar figure in railroad transportation circles.

Besides his widow, Mrs. A. W. Hunter, of St. Louis, he is survived by his mother, Mrs. J. C. Hunter, of Dallas, Texas, a sister, Mrs. J. C. Thompson, of Dallas, a brother, Russell E. Hunter, Los Angeles, Calif., and an uncle L. G. Fellers, of Sedalia.

**Funeral of J. C. Grissom**

Funeral services for John Cornelius Grissom were held Monday afternoon from the Shelley Funeral chapel in Green Ridge with the Rev. D. A. Moore officiating. Music was in charge of Mrs. L. B. Beach. A male quartet, composed of L. B. Beach, L. L. Ream, H. H. Ream and J. B. Myers sang "Face to Face," "God Will Take Care of You," and "Going Down the Valley."

Pallbearers were: L. L. Ream, Royal Rager, Emmett Boltz, Glen Heck, Floyd Brownfield and J. B. Myers.

Interment was in Crown Hill cemetery at Sedalia.

Relatives from a distance attending the funeral were, a stepdaughter, Mrs. Ollie Sauer and daughter, Mrs. Ola Myers, Mr. Myers and their three children, of Waggoner, Okla., P. W. Corning of Madison, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Corning of Wood River, Ill., Mrs. Silvester Corning of Cottage Hill, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Corning of Houstonia, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gamber of Sedalia and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brownfield of Windsor.

**Object In Throat Fatal To Child**

Preston T. Sumner, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Sumner, 8025 McGee street, St. Louis, passed away at the age of 16 months at the Missouri Baptist hospital in St. Louis on August 12, death being due swallowing an object that lodged in his throat.

Funeral services were held Monday at the A. Kron chapel, 2707 Grand avenue in St. Louis with interment in Oak Hill cemetery.

Mr. Snell, a former business man and highly respected and honored citizens of Windsor died September 11, at his home in Golden City, Mo., and was buried in Laurel Oak cemetery in Windsor September 12.

Mr. Snell was born at Ft. Atkinson, Wis., August 19, 1857 and came to Missouri in 1877, making the trip from Wisconsin to California, Mo., on horseback.

He taught one or two terms of school near Calhoun and then worked in one of the stores there.

Jerry Joseph Sullivan

Jerry Joseph Sullivan, 77 years of age, one of La Monte's most highly respected citizens, passed away at his home early Sunday morning of heart trouble.

Mr. Sullivan was born in Dresden on April 1, 1864, the son of the late Eugene and Anna Sullivan. He was the eldest of eleven children. When he was three years old the family moved to a farm four miles northwest of La Monte, where they resided continuously until the parents passed away.

In 1888 at the age of 24 Mr. Sullivan went to farming for himself and his sister, Miss Margaret,

has kept house for him and has been his constant companion for the past 53 years. Six years ago he suffered a paralytic stroke after which he gave up farming and he and his sister bought a home in La Monte. Mr. Sullivan, however regained his health enough to care for his yard and garden and was in his usual health the past week, but when his sister went to awaken him early Sunday morning she found him dead.

Mr. Sullivan was a member of the Catholic church in La Monte and of the Knights of Columbus and Holy Name Society.

Surviving are the following brothers and sisters: Mike Sullivan, Sedalia, Dan Sullivan, Oakland, Calif., John Sullivan, La Monte, Mrs. Thomas Buckley, La Monte, Mrs. Ambrose Thompson, La Monte and Mrs. W. A. Sullivan, Sedalia. Three sisters died in infancy. Four nieces and two nephews also survive.

The body was taken to the Parker Home where the rosary was recited at 8 o'clock last night.

### Mrs. Mary Cox Crawford

Mrs. Mary Cox Crawford, wife of Frank C. Crawford, died at her home, 3½ miles southeast of La Monte at 3:30 o'clock yesterday morning after a lingering illness.

Mrs. Crawford was born January 28, 1863, eight miles north of La Monte and lived in the La Monte vicinity her entire life, and in the home where she died since Mr. Crawford built it nearly 40 years ago. She was married on October 13, 1887, to Mr. Crawford and three children were born to this union, one dying in infancy.

Besides her husband she is survived by four children, Theodore, Marie, Louise and Francis. Another child died in infancy.

A sister, Mrs. Adam Smasal, of Cole Camp, and two grandchildren, also survive her.

Surviving is her husband, one daughter, Mrs. Glenn M. Wellman, of La Monte; one son, Walter C. Crawford, of Parsons, Kas., who with his wife has been at his mother's bedside constantly the past week. Three grandchildren, Frank, William and Mary Wellman, and one brother, S. M. Cox, Champion, Neb.

A nice, Mrs. Elmer Winfrey, of Sedalia, also survives and two nephews, Will French of Kansas City and Arthur French, St. Joseph, are here to attend the funeral.

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## Captured In Burglary Of Deal Grocery

J. B. Greer Had Groceries In A Sack as Loot

Troubles for local grocerymen are partially over with the capture of James B. Greer, 1422 South Grand avenue, about 2:20 o'clock Sunday morning in the Deal's Market, Sixteenth street and Missouri avenue, by Night Chief of Police Anson Finnell and Officer John H. Brooks. He had in his possession \$28.50 in groceries when he started for a door blocked by Chief Finnell holding a riot gun.

Today Prosecuting Attorney Job Harned filed charges of burglary and larceny against the ex-convict in the court of Judge C. W. Bentz, sitting as ex-officio justice of the peace. He is held in the county jail in default of a \$2,000 bond to await a hearing which will be set for the latter part of the week.

### Is An Ex-convict

Greer, a well known police character, was released from the Missouri penitentiary the first week of June and since that time many Sedalia grocery stores have been broken into. Several times the police were within split seconds of catching the culprit, but he successfully evaded them only to break into more stores later, and cause the local police to have a headache.

Several stores in surrounding towns have been broken into in the same manner as the local stores and indications point to Greer as the party. In each case there was always a side of bacon and milk stolen, the same as was taken as part of the loot at the Deal's Market. In each case only "smudges" could be found instead of fingerprints and explanation for this was given as the person must have been wearing leather gloves. Greer when captured was wearing such kind of gloves.

A neighbor near the Deal Market heard a window crash and looking out saw a man standing near the west door to the place. She returned and called the police and then went back to watch and see what he was doing, but he had disappeared. Believing he had gone she called the police back just before the patrol car had left and told the officers he had gone.

### Investigate Car Drivers

Finnell and Brooks, however, decided to make an investigation of the robbery and lingered in hopes the man would return the same as he has done in other cases. On the way out they stopped several old model automobiles and investigated the occupants in hopes of finding a suspect.

When a short distance from the building they got out of the car and Finnell approached the southwest corner of the building to watch the front and west side and Brooks went to the back. Finnell saw the man and went to the west door and ordered him to come to him. As he approached Finnell he was carrying a large sack and his shirt was filled with groceries.

### Possessed Provisions

In his possession were four cartons of cigarettes, two pounds of pounds of bacon, 12 pounds of ham, 15 pounds of cheese, butter, candy, smoking tobacco, one bottle ham, box of "weenies," milk and canned goods.

Greer had emptied a large sack of navy beans out on the floor and used the sack to carry his loot. He had opened all the ice boxes and left them open, scattered fresh meats about the floor as well as groceries, causing a great loss to the merchandise.

### Snap on Handcuffs

When Brooks approached Greer he snapped handcuffs on him and a search of the store was made for the "two or three more" who Greer said were in the store. Greer told Finnell, "when I get out of this I'm going to kill you, you —" to which the officer replied, "you have had two months to do it."

He even boasted to the officers that if they had not caught him when they did he would have broke into every grocery store in Sedalia "just to give you trouble."

Questioned at police headquarters, Greer told the officers that if they could find any fingerprints at the other stores he would plead guilty but "I'm not admitting or denying anything" he concluded.

Greer was sentenced to two years for breaking into and robbing the Herrick Recreation Parlor in December of 1939. He was sent up during the April term of court of 1940 and released in June of 1941 on good behavior. He has had several other run-ins with the police for which he got jail sentences.

Several years ago he was one of three men arrested in connection with breaking into the home of Wiley Lumbard, 506 New York avenue, but was released because it had been claimed he had undergone a "third degree."

A Plymouth coupe of Vernon Jenkins, RFD No. 2, Nelson, stolen from near the Fairview Camp, on west highway 50, was found across the street from the store and it is believed that Greer might have stolen this car as it was in the locality of the

grocery store in which he was caught.

Chief Finnell said he was almost positive that Greer is one of the prowlers as clothing found at his home were identical with that which the prowler has been described as wearing in the residential section of the city. He is only one of several men the police have arrested for robberies in Sedalia recently all of whom have been convicted.

### Forgery Charge Against Tieman

Charles Tieman, picked up last Friday night by the police for investigation, yesterday was charged with forgery in connection with obtaining money at the Public Loan company by representing himself as another person and forging another name.

Tieman was a "problem" to the local police when they found \$26 on him when arrested thus nullifying any chance of filing vagrancy charges against him. Then a search of his personal belongings revealed information which led to further investigation about his money and it was learned he had borrowed it.

Several days ago he was picked up with a woman whose name is given as Martha Jones, and ordered out-of-town and when they refused to go they were picked up again. Vagrancy charges have been filed against the woman and she will be given a hearing this week.

Tieman's bond has been set at \$2,000 pending a preliminary hearing before Judge C. W. Bentz, sitting as ex-officio justice of the peace. He is in the county jail.

### Four American Fliers Missing

LONDON, Sept. 15.—(AP)—The British air ministry announced today that four American volunteers in the RAF, including a member of the American eagle squadron, are "missing."

The eagle squadron man was Pilot Officer V. W. Olson of Concord, Neb., who was said to be "missing, believed killed in action."

The home towns of the other three were not given but they were identified as follows:

Second Aircraftman E. R. Jack, Sergeant E. A. R. Thompson and Sergeant C. Deges.

A Royal Canadian air force casualty list also reported Flight Sergeant G. R. Menish, of Salina, Kas., as missing in action, and Sergeant G. J. Massee of Taunton, Mass., as wounded in action. The ministry said Massee's mother lives in Rhode Island, but the name of the city was not known.

### Discuss Offer Of Shoe Factory

A special meeting of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, was held at noon yesterday at Hildebrandt banquet room at the St. Francis hotel. The purpose was to discuss a proposed shoe factory for Sedalia.

The Tober-Saifer Shoe Co., Inc., St. Louis, has informed the local Chamber of Commerce of desires to locate a branch in Sedalia which would employ between 400 and 600 people. A discussion and plans were made to contact officials of the firm and the Missouri Pacific railroad regarding a suitable site.

Ellsworth Green, secretary of the C. of C. will go to St. Louis today where he will contact officials of the shoe firm as well as railroad officials regarding the matter.

### Child Starts A Curtain Blaze

"Mother, I did it, I did it!" cried little Carolina Prosser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Prosser, 501 West Seventh street about 7 o'clock Sunday morning, and when the parents went to investigate they found a window curtain blazing.

The little girl had gotten up before her parents and took a match to look for some dolls which she desired to play with, but in lighting the match the window curtain caught fire. Presence of mind to tell her mother probably saved the residence from greater damage.

Both fire companies answered the alarm and soon had the blaze under control, but not until after more than \$75 damage to the residence and about \$25 to furnishings had been done, all which is covered by insurance.

The Prossers were also astonished when they saw the firemen mop up the water and debris before their departure. They were always under the impression the firemen just threw water on the blaze and departed. They were assured that was not the policy of the Sedalia Fire Department.

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## Wants Increase In Milk And In Egg Output

### Step-Up Urged In Food For Defense By Oscar DeWolf

As part of the national food for defense program, the families co-operating with the Farm Security Administration in Pettis county have been asked to increase daily milk production one quart per cow, and yearly egg production one dozen eggs per hen, Oscar H. DeWolf, county rural rehabilitation supervisor, said.

"Every branch of the United States Department of Agriculture is co-operating in the Food for Defense program," Mr. DeWolf said. "If all FSA borrowers—families in the corn belt states alone succeed in expanding production to the amount asked, they could boost national milk production 64 million quarts and egg production 1½ million dozen each year," he added.

At the same time they are urging farmers to produce more milk and eggs. Farm Security Supervisors are also asking them to save more pigs this fall. Saving one more pig out of every two litters in the corn belt would mean 95,000 more hogs to fatten for market, enough to produce a year's supply of chops, bacon, sausage, ham and other pork for 160,000 persons. Supervisors are asking farm families to store, can or preserve 10 per cent more fruits and vegetables than a year ago.

### Add To Flow of Goods

"Under the live-at-home program, many Farm Security families already are producing all the dairy products, eggs, meat and vegetables needed at home," Mr. DeWolf points out. "By increasing production still further, they will add directly to the flow of goods going to the consumer."

Families which are not producing all of these foods needed at home will benefit both themselves and their country by boosting production at least enough to meet home requirements. Each time a farmer buys something he could produce at home, he adds just another burden to the job of feeding soldiers in camp, workers in defense industries and providing food-stuffs for the democracies battling world dictatorship. Everything he produces at home releases that much more commercial food for people who are so busy with their share of defense they have no time to grow something to eat.

Better feeding, care and management are needed to get the desired production increase of milk eggs and pork. Mr. DeWolf says.

The following points based on recommendations of the Missouri College of Agriculture are being emphasized with FSA borrowers: Increased milk production by feeding cows more liberally according to production, using a balanced ration, milking at regular times and providing plenty of clean water and necessary shelter; better rations, sanitary surroundings, and a good program of disease control to boost egg production; feeding sows properly during the pre-farrowing period, keeping diseases under control and giving careful attention to the sow and litter during and after farrowing to reduce loss of little pigs.

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Rouse was taken to a Jefferson City funeral home and Morris to St. Mary's hospital here where his condition was described as "not serious." He had numerous cuts on his face, scalp and arms.

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LAKE CHARLES, La., Sept. 15.—(AP)—Lieut. John Dobroski of Racine, Wis., was killed today when his army pursuit ship crashed in flames after colliding with a navy dive bomber over the Red river at Coushatta, La., shortly after the start of the huge army maneuvers in western Louisiana.

The pilot of the navy ship, Lieut. R. B. Woodhull, San Antonio, Tex., brought his badly damaged craft back to the Lake Charles airport after his radio man, A. W. Garlow, had bailed

out.

### Kinsey To Be Chief Engineer Of PSC

JEFFERSON CITY, Sept. 16—(AP)—Milton W. Kinsey, St. Louis consulting engineer, was appointed chief engineer of the Missouri Public Service Commission today, succeeding S. B. Nelson of Kansas City in the \$5,000 a year job.

Kinsey has specialized in utility rate matters for the past 16 years and has participated in every rate and valuation case involving St. Louis utilities since 1925 as a consulting engineer for the city of St. Louis.

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### Chief Operating Officer of Railway Former Sedalian

John Cannon, chief operating officer of the Missouri Pacific Lines and from May 31, 1913, to August 16, 1915 superintendent in Sedalia for that railroad died Sunday at the Missouri Pacific hospital in St. Louis following an operation undergone last Monday. He was 69 and lived at the Park Plaza hotel.

Born in Cairo, Ill., Mr. Cannon began his railroad career at the age of 14 when he became a messenger in the mechanical department of the Illinois Central Railroad at Cairo. He remained with the Illinois Central until 1905, when he became associated with the Missouri Pacific Railroad as division superintendent at Coffeyville, Kas. For seven years he served in various places as division superintendent until 1915, when he came to St. Louis as general superintendent of the eastern district.

In the discussion which lasted for nearly two hours, the residents protesting against the noise caused by the huge trucks throughout the day and night, and council members, questioning the right of the city to reroute a state highway, finally accepted a committee, appointed by Mayor Julian H. Bagby, to investigate the reroute possibility.

### Danger To Students

The petition, which mentioned the danger to students attending Smith-Cotton high school and Broadway grade school, which are located on Broadway, was read to the council by Samuel P. Harlan, attorney, who told the members of the activities of a committee to secure signatures to the petition from residences along the two thoroughfares. 286 signatures were obtained.

W. M. Johns, 705 West Broadway, told the council of the disturbances caused by the heavy trucks, and said that as many as 75 truckloads of cedar posts being shipped through the city had been counted passing along Broadway in a single day.

He also served as superintendent at Little Rock, Ark., and Jefferson City, De Soto and Poplar Bluff, Mo., before becoming general manager in charge of operations in St. Louis.

### Named General Manager

Two years later he was named general superintendent of transportation and in 1920 was appointed assistant general manager, a post he held for five years until he was promoted to general manager. The following year he was made vice president and general manager in charge of operations.

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During the last three months Mr. Cannon devoted most of his time to negotiations carried on at Chicago by the railroads through a General Conference Committee, of which he was a member, with representatives of organized labor concerning their requests for wage increases. He was a national figure in railroad circles and for several years was a member and chairman of the Operating-Transportation Section of the Association of American Railroads.

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Mr. Cannon's death is a severe loss to the Missouri Pacific and to the railroad industry," L. W. Baldwin, head of the Missouri Pacific lines, said yesterday. "He was unusually capable, broad-minded and progressive, and his manner, his absolute fairness and his loyal interest in the welfare of his railroad and its employees endeared him to all who knew him."

Besides his widow, he is survived by a son, John Cannon Jr.; two daughters, Mrs. J. L. Matthews of St. Louis and Mrs. C. J. Lawrence of Hollywood, Cal., and a brother, Ed Cannon, Pueblo, Colo.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 2 p.m. from the Robert J. Amburster chapel, 6633 Clayton road. Interment will be in the Oak Grove Mausoleum.

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My Mrs. J. E. Zey

Miss Coral Perrin, of Paris, is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. G. Hull and Dr. Hull.

Mrs. Susan McDowell and her sister, Mrs. H. H. Scudder, of Los Angeles, Calif., spent Wednesday at Fort Leonard Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barrick and two small daughters of Washington, D. C., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Zey and Letha Zey.

William Kiso, 70, a brother of Frank Kiso, of this place, died Wednesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Dave Wolf, of Napoleon. He is survived by nine children.

Miss Lee Jane Osterly returned to the Valparaiso University at Valparaiso, Ind., Tuesday.

Mrs. Ivan Overlin and daughter, Miss Helen, of Sheridan, Wyo., came last week to visit her mother, Mrs. Frances Bartlett.

Mrs. J. M. Robertson fell Saturday night and broke her right arm.

Mrs. C. T. Ferrington and daughter Janet, left Monday for their home in San Pedro, Calif., after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Allee the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Summons were visitors in Fulton Sunday. Mrs. Virgie Miller and two children returned this week from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Butcher, in Kansas City.

Mrs. A. W. Jeffries returned Monday from Independence where she had been visiting her mother, Mrs. L. G. Stanfield, who has been quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Simmons and two children, returned to their home in Omaha, Neb., after a visit with Mrs. Simmons' parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Scheidt for two weeks.

Mrs. G. R. Hamlin who spent the past several months in Los Angeles, Calif., visiting her children, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hamlin and Mr. and Mrs. John Wells returned to her home Sunday.

Miss Mary Lou Carter visited the week-end with her parents, in Salsbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Young have as their guests his brother and wife, of Omaha, Neb.

A. K. Reed arrived home Wednesday from a two weeks vacation in Colorado.

Mrs. C. J. Houser returned Tuesday from Berryman, where she had visited her daughter, Mrs. George Price and Mr. Price.

Kenneth Ruhrbach left last week for San Diego, Calif.

Mrs. Ida Radcliff returned to her home in Boulder, Colo., Saturday after a ten days visit with her sister, Mrs. Marvin Reed and Mr. Reed.

Mrs. W. G. Heidbreder is visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. E. Hill and Mr. Hill in Kansas City.

Misses Maurine and Velma Parks and Ruth Bolin spent the week-end in St. Louis.

## • Ionia

By Mrs. Homer Howe

Elmo Kriesler, who has owned and operated the drug store in Ionia for the past sixteen years, has purchased the Pohl Drug store at Clinton. Mr. Kriesler and family will move to Clinton the first of the month.

Mrs. Theo Mashoff, wife of Rev. Mashoff, who has been a patient at a sanitarium in Wheatland, Colo., for the past six years returned to her home Sunday. Mrs. Mashoff has sufficiently recovered that the doctors think she will be able to remain in this climate. Miss Esther Mashoff who has been with her mother returned.

Mr. and Mrs. Doris Lacey of Kansas City visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Marsh.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Miller and children, Sandra Lee and Dale, attended a family gathering Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hoover of Green Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Schiebel of Dayton, Ohio who were residents of this community twenty-five years ago visited with old friends last week. Monday evening a number of old friends met at the home of Misses Nan and Margaret Mahnken and visited with the Schiebels. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes Vaughan of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bormann of Cole Camp, Mr. and Mrs. William Bormann and children, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Tinker, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Riecke, Mrs. Orville Alderman, Mr. and Mrs. George Boekelman, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Marsh, Mrs. Ina Mouldin, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Howe and daughter, Lillian Jean.

Mrs. Vernon Frieze, the La Cledo district president of the PTA was in Ionia Wednesday and assisted in the organization of a PTA. The officers are: president, Mrs. Homer Howe; vice-president, Mrs. Oliver Renfrow; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Ed Crenshaw; membership committee, Mrs. S. B. Miller and Mrs. Otto Tubesing.

Misses Nan and Margaret Mahnken had as supper guests Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Kriesler and family and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Mahnken and daughter Anne.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes Vaughan of Kansas City were overnight guests Monday of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Marsh.

O. Van Wey and Mrs. Ina

Mouldin returned Friday from a visit with relatives at Quincy, Ill.

## • Sweet Springs

By Mrs. W. E. Andrew

William Andrew left recently for Neosho where he has employment.

Dr. Herbert Senne left recently for San Diego, Calif., where he will serve at the navy base hospital.

Jack Scott has returned from a trip to various parts of California. J. F. Elsner is in Kansas City, for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Scott accompanied their son, Elwood, to Fulton Monday where he entered Westminster college.

Miss Sarah Louise John, Miss Elma White, Miss Barbara Neff Parsons entered CMSC, Warrensburg.

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## Had Achievement Day Program

An achievement day program was held at the Smithton high school by the 4-H clubs of Smithton community, Friday night. The program was as follows:

Vocal duet, "He's My Uncle"—Lois Bremer, Joan Daniels.

Demonstration, Dairy club—Ralph Porter Wood, Huelen Luetjen.

Report, Work Done by Health and Sanitation Club—Bonnie Hoehns.

Piano solo, selected—Norma Demand.

Demonstration, Food Preservation Club—Wilma Sartin, Nadine Demand.

Report, Benefit of 4-H Club Work—Donald Mahnken.

Report, Useful and Harmful Insects—Supt. B. B. Ihrig.

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## Extension Club Elects Officers

The Bowling Green Women's Extension club of Beaman, Mo., met for an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. Owens, with Mrs. Wagner and Miss Audrey Wagner as assistant hostesses. There were fifteen members and seven visitors present. The visitors were Mrs. G. Owens and son, Mrs. J. W. Hurt, Mrs. W. J. Morris, Miss Frances Goodwin, Mary Jane Anderson and Diane Igo.

Miss Dorothy Bacon, Home Demonstration agent and Margaret Malee, her assistant, were present and gave very interesting and helpful talks and demonstrations on remodeling clothes. Patterns for several different collars were given to anyone desiring them, which will help to brighten up old and remodeled dresses.

The following officers for 1942 were elected: President, Mrs. W. P. Spotts; vice-president, Miss Flossie Ferguson, secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Ollie Lotspeich; reporter, Mrs. P. A. Carr; recreation and song leader, Mrs. L. V. Igo; parliamentarian, Mrs. Orna DeHaven.

The next club meeting will be held October the 9th with Mrs. L. V. Igo and Mrs. Frank Summers as assistant hostess.

## Form Club On Citizenship

The Elder Ridge school and Oak Grove school met Friday afternoon at the Oak Grove school and organized a Junior American Citizenship club. The club voted to meet every second Friday afternoon of the month, the meeting place to be Elder Ridge school in October.

This club is sponsored by the Osage chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. In this club the pupils will be taught to understand and appreciate the value of good citizenship and patriotic education, they are taught to uphold the standards of honor and respect for our flag and what it means to cherish and defend it.

The following officers were elected: Ethel May Fricke, President; Loraine Schelp, vice-president; Jean Daniel, secretary; Anne Margie Barr, color bearer; Kenneth Barr and Judy Scotten, color guard.

## Reception Held For Teachers

The Smithton Community club held its regular reception for the teachers of the Smithton and surrounding schools at the school building Thursday evening. The educational committee, composed of Mrs. Audrey Neumeyer, Mrs. B. B. Ihrig, and Mrs. Howard Hall had charge of the program as follows:

Piano solo, Miss Wanda Lee Pace.

Clarinet solo, Tom Hudson, accompanied by Miss Pace.

Violin solo, Miss June Harris, accompanied by Miss Pace.

Cornet duet, Liburn Lujin and Huilen Luetjen, accompanied by Miss Pace.

Introduction of Supt. B. B. Ihrig by Mrs. Neumeyer, who also presented the rural teachers.

Introduction of Smithton teachers and school board, Supt. Ihrig.

A social hour in charge of the social committee, Mrs. W. J. Lamm, Mrs. William Green, Mrs. Shelby Kahrs and Miss Mary Louise Eddy was enjoyed. Refreshments were served by the home making committee, Mrs. J. L. Lamm, Mrs. Glenn Schlotzhauser, Mrs. Tena Monsees, Mrs. H. S. Ramseyer and Mrs. J. V. Quint.

## Brothers Sell Over Thousand Hogs

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Sept. 15.—(P)—Fred and Bill Snyder, brothers who operate a 1,600-acre farm near Gentry, Mo., sold 1,021 hogs in St. Joseph today and received a check for approximately \$28,000.

Jimmy Crigler, Swift & Henry salesman who handled the transaction said that he had been at the yards more than twenty years and that it was the largest single shipment he had ever seen here.

Anchor Serum company purchased 760 of the hogs averaging 223 pounds at \$13 per hundred-weight.

## Mother of Twins

Twin daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. Ina Reed, of R. F. D. No. 2 at the Bothwell hospital yesterday.

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